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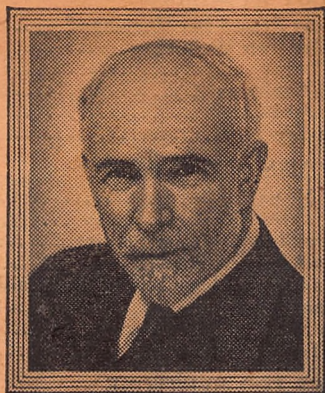
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The equinox chart promises world transformation

By Francis J. Ramsay

Different cultures and religions have established different beginnings for the year. Our official year now begins near the winter solstice; in some Near Eastern countries, the autumn equinox—or the time of the harvest—marked the new year. But it seems that always the spring equinox was considered the beginning of Nature's yearly cycle. It is the time of the rebirth of vegetation and of all that is an expression of natural growth.

It is traditional in Astrology to consider the chart erected for the exact northward passage of the Sun across the equatorial plane—i.e., the vernal equinox, the "first point" of the zodiacal sign Aries—as one which gives indications for the general trends during the twelve months which follow. Astrology always refers to *the beginning of cyclic life organizations*: as the cycle begins, so will its fundamental pattern of unfoldment be, and the germinating acorn tells the story of the whole life of the oak.

WE SHOULD REALIZE, HOWEVER, THAT WHAT begins at the vernal equinox from March 20 to 22(depending on the year) is the year of earth-nature—not the year of our present modern Western humanity. What begins is the flow of vital forces in all that is alive, the human body included. But man's mind, especially the collective mentality of a civilization and the development of its institutions, belongs to another level of activity. Civilization, particularly at its present stage, is not a "natural" product, even though it is deeply conditioned in its roots by the processes of the natural life in human beings. Civilization is often most determined in opposing, or at least modifying, Nature. The institutions of society are indeed largely built in order to control and constrain—or even to block and suppress—Nature's forces.

The vernal equinox chart does not tell us, therefore, what men and nations will decide to do as much as what natural forces will impel them to do—and there may be a great difference between these two things! We can only infer from this chart and its progressive unfoldment the course of human events during the twelve months that follow. While the old saying "Man proposes, God disposes" may well be true, it is also true that God composes and man disturbs—and in disturbing, demonstrates his freedom and learns gradually) how to use power constructively,

The Fire Configuration

The most characteristic factor in the chart erected for March 20, 9:17 P.M. Greenwich time, is the grand trine in fire signs relating the Sun and Mercury (both in the first degree of Aries) to the Moon (in the third degree of Sagittarius) and to Uranus (in the fourth degree of Leo). Mars fits in this theoretically most constructive configuration by forming sextiles to the Sun-Mercury and to Uranus; but it also opposes the Moon. This Gemini Mars brings the air element into the picture—one which could be likened to a kite, with the Moon at the tail. Saturn in Sagittarius and Pluto in Leo add to the strength of the fire element. There are no planets in earth signs.

Another basic factor in the over-all planetary configuration at the moment of the vernal equinox is the forming opposition of Venus in Pisces to Jupiter retrograde in Virgo, an opposition which now takes the place of the one featured during the last half of 1956 between Mars and Jupiter in these same zodiacal signs. Also, if we consider the lines formed by the two basic opposition aspects of the chart (Moon-Mars and Venus-Jupiter), we see

that they constitute approximately the two diagonals of a broad rectangular configuration which relates most of the chart's planets. Not only this, but also a great number of sextiles link all the planets: the Sun-Mercury sextile Mars, which is in sextile to Uranus, which is in broad sextile to Jupiter, in broad sextile to the Moon and in semiquintile (36°) to Neptune.

THE MORE DYNAMIC AND ENERGY-ROUSING side of the planetary pattern is taken care of by two not too exact, but obviously effective, T-crosses: (1) Pluto squaring the Moon-Mars opposition, (2) Saturn squaring the Venus-Jupiter opposition. Saturn is also semisquare Neptune and sesquiquadrate Uranus; Uranus and Neptune have returned for the last time to a very close approximation of their long-effective square. This square, which for nearly five years has made history by linking Cancer to Libra (the Eisenhower-Dulles era), is now linking the emotional and dynamic signs Leo and Scorpio.

In other words, the spring equinox of 1957 presents us with an exceedingly complex and tightly woven, but spread out, pattern of planetary aspects. Many things are likely to happen; and as the chart deals primarily with earth nature and human nature, the outstanding feature seems to be that in some way, very Uranian developments may change at least some aspects of Nature as we know it—and this includes our climate!

Last year, the vernal equinox brought the Sun near a trine to Saturn in early Sagittarius; the Moon was in Cancer, Mars in Capricorn. The first lunar aspect after the equinoctial moment was this Mars opposition; the first solar aspect was the Saturn aspect. Thus, the people (Moon) suffered violence and the government behaved according to the old Saturnian patterns of power politics, oil diplomacy and the like. But this year, the first aspects made by both the Sun and Moon are to Uranus, the rebel, the revolutionist, the transforming power! Then the Moon occults Saturn, blots it out. Then Mercury sextiles Mars and trines Uranus. All this occurs in fire signs, those of dynamic intensity. Saturn, moreover, is turning retrograde—moving inward or underground

—just as the Sun makes its trine to Uranus.

WHAT CAN WE EXPECT AS A RESULT OF such a situation? I assuredly would not dare to hazard guesses while Uranus holds such a sharp—and beneficent, constructive—spotlight. But that fire will be released and that important changes will occur seems to be the only logical conclusion. Countries theoretically ruled by Leo may well be affected, perhaps most of all France. But whether the United States has a Sagittarius or a Gemini ascendant, in either case we will be strongly conditioned by whatever the Mars-Moon opposition signifies.

In the chart of the vernal equinox erected for Washington, D.C., we find this Mars-Moon opposition coinciding with the meridian, with Mars at the zenith. Mars is here, if we follow my previous analogy, the head of the kite! One should expect that this will place a sharp strain upon the heads of our government, arouse popular dissatisfaction, strengthening the official Democratic opposition—yet, perhaps, without making it practically effectual. Jupiter rises in the Washington chart, but it is retrograde; as Jupiter will then be close to the U. S. Neptune, there could be severe floods or peculiar atmospheric conditions. On the other hand, the probability of very severe drought in regions already affected by lack of rain is evident, perhaps giving rise to serious situations. There could also be a wave of inflation, with a strong response of the business world to either new inventions or changed world conditions.

The chart for Moscow has late Scorpio rising, with the Moon and Saturn in the first house and Jupiter culminating at the zenith. Mars is in the seventh house and Uranus in the eighth. Russia would seem to be on the defensive, the government deeply concerned with the problem of maintaining its power; there might have been some trouble just before the beginning of spring.

In France and England, economic problems should be acute; we can well understand today why it should be so. Some trend toward one form or another of totalitarianism is not improbable, or else toward a political integration of these countries. The outlook for Palestine,

Syria, Arabia is rather unfortunate, as these regions will feel very strongly the impact of the Moon-Mars opposition, with Mars beating the war drums.

IT SHOULD BE ADDED THAT WHEN THE REPUBLIC of Israel was proclaimed on May 15, 1948—and a few hours later, when it came officially into existence—the Moon, Pluto, Saturn and Mars were in Leo. Mars at 28° 26' Leo is close to the star Regulus, and the passage of Pluto over it has certainly well correlated with the 1956 events; but Pluto is still at 28° 25' Leo at the vernal equinox of 1957—and Uranus is moving in gradually toward all these Leo planets. Uranus might, however, mean a rebirth. Some strange event could happen. Yet the Moon and Pluto in the official Israel chart are in the sixth house and Saturn just at the entrance of the seventh. The probability of more war seems rather evident. Some unusual spiritual occurrence is possible.

The Near East problem is perhaps as much a religious issue as it is a conflict over oil interests and a case of unabashed power politics. But, of course, the deeper occult aspects of such a tragic situation cannot be featured in newspaper headlines. Very few people, for instance, know anything of the relationship between the Pan Islamic Movement—started before World War I, when the Turkish Empire was still in existence—and the great movement of Islamic reform, the Senussi Order, in Northern Africa nearly a century ago—a movement thwarted, then deviated into political action, under the pressure of the spread of French, Italian and English conquests.

If I mention these things, it is because this strange Uranian emphasis, as the spring of 1957 begins, may well take unusual and unexpected forms. That it may do so is a possibility strengthened by the even rarer fact that both Neptune and Pluto are entering once more their new "homes," Scorpio and Virgo. They entered these two signs together last October; and they will practically repeat the performance next August, an occurrence of importance.

I HAVE DISCUSSED THIS SITUATION AND THE nearly 100-year long and continuous sextile of Neptune and Pluto in an article in

a previous issue of HOROSCOPE. I shall not, therefore, repeat myself except to stress the great world importance of this simultaneous "change of gears" of the two planets most connected with vast historical events. As World War I and II followed the entrance of Pluto respectively in Cancer and in Leo, we may well wonder what may follow this planet's motions across the threshold separating Leo and Virgo. This threshold was symbolized in Egypt by the Sphinx, a creature half a lion, half a human virgin. Pluto will again cross that threshold during this coming July and August.

Under the body of the Sphinx was hidden the gate that led to the Pyramid and to its inner chamber, where death was overcome by the Initiate through conscious rebirth. The whole sign Virgo is, in a very real sense, the path of preparation for this rebirth—the path of service and of discipleship, in a sense the path of woe and of catharsis. Is humanity entering now upon such a path?

Saturn in Mid-Sagittarius

What makes one ponder even more seriously upon such possibilities is the passage of Saturn through Sagittarius—and this may mean across the ascendant of the U.S.A. birth-chart (July 4, 1776).

The matter of the correct ascendant for a chart is a subject of lasting controversy among Astrologers; personally, I can see very few valid reasons for believing that Gemini is such an ascendant, and the actual records on which an accurate time for the adoption of the Declaration of Independence could be based are utterly conflicting. I cannot see why the American people, whose deepest roots are found in the Puritan tradition and whose passion for sports is proverbial, do not fit the Sagittarian type of personality. The physical greatness of America stemmed, a century ago, from successive waves of migration to faraway regions; we hardly ever stay put in one region; we fly off to any distant place.

Our eagerness for expansion and for the always "bigger and better," our unparalleled stress on moral principles (and self-righteousness) in dealing with other nations or racial groups, our insistent desire to be liked and to be a good fellow,

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our hurt feelings at not seeing our bounteous gifts to other peoples appreciated, the characteristic American optimism (even Pollyanna-ism) found even in typical American philosophies like Christian Science and New Thought—all these belong definitely to the Sagittarian category. The body type of the recent American generations stresses strong and rather heavy thigh development and the traditional "Uncle Sam" looks characteristically Sagittarian.

ONE COULD MULTIPLY SUCH POINTS. IF WE compare the American type of education and its results with those in western Europe, we certainly cannot use the word "intellectual" to characterize them. The educated European is far more an "intellectual" of the Gemini type than the college-trained, socially-minded, sports-enthusiastic American youth. As to historical correlations, I need only say that the crises associated with the passage of Uranus in Gemini were *war* crises, which would logically place this transiting Uranus in the sixth and seventh houses, but not near the ascendant.

The first controlled atomic chain reaction occurred in Chicago as Neptune was in the second degree of Libra; when F. D. Roosevelt died suddenly and soon after the atom bomb was released, the *progressed Mars* of the U.S.A. chart was around the same place in Libra which I consider the midheaven of the chart.

Our system of government is founded on the secure basis of a Constitution—a Saturnian factor. In religion, we worship "The Book." The popular love for Eisenhower stresses, if anything, a Libra tenth house, with Saturn in it. Moreover, the distance of arc between the midheaven of this Declaration chart and Saturn (representing the executive as a noble, wise father) measures to the time between the signing of the Constitution and the beginning of a Federal Government under Washington—a point of extreme importance, in my opinion.

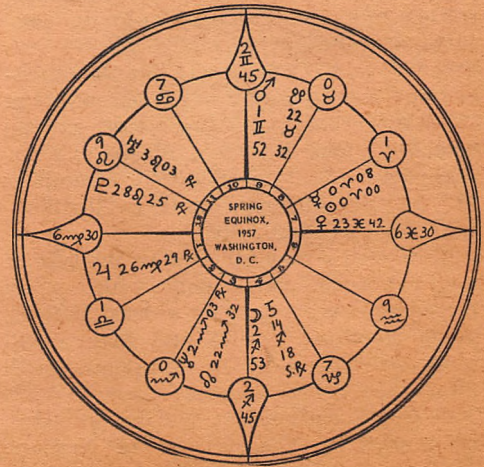
2° 15' Libra on the midheaven of the U.S. chart means the 14th degree of Sagittarius rising. In the Sabian System of zodiacal symbols, this degree is represented by "the Pyramids and the Sphinx"; and the early Theosophists claimed that modern America "reincarnates" in some sense

ancient Egypt. The reverse side of the U. S. Seal shows a pyramid; alone of all modern people, we embalm our dead in a way at least somewhat reminiscent of the old Egyptian tradition—and perhaps this tie with ancient Egypt accounts for our recent eagerness to please or not hurt too much the new nationalist government of this ancient land.

IN ANY CASE, SATURN'S TRANSITS OVER mid-Sagittarius have been very significant in recent cycles. The present one is certainly a most important element of the world picture, this early spring of 1957. The last transit occurred through 1928; it ended with the Wall Street crash of October, 1929. At the fall of 1928 elections, Hoover was elected President and F. D. Roosevelt Governor of New York; the pattern of the depression and the New Deal was being drawn as Saturn passed through mid-Sagittarius. Hitler was also beginning his ascent to power.

The Saturn transit of 1898 coincided with the Spanish-American War. This was the beginning of the United States world expansion—Hawaii, the Philippines, the period of the great business trusts, the McKinley Administration leading to Teddy Roosevelt's "Big Stick" policy.

The 1868-69 transits may not have been so clearcut in their national meaning; yet this was the post Civil War period, during which the old spirit of New England and Virginian America was superseded by the prodigious rise of a business America relentlessly building and producing.



Of course, cyclic transit recurrences rarely bring back identical situations. The real Astrologer should not deal with *precise events*, but mainly with basic attitudes and root energies. What we can expect of this present Saturn in Sagittarius transit (and of the new Administration taking office with Saturn in Sagittarius' 12th degree) is a tightening and stiffening of U.S. policy in terms of heavier and more ambitious plans for world ascendancy in the sense of increased economic control. This is essentially what occurred historically around 1898 and 1868—and 1838 was also more or less the time when what was then the West began to be a power in the then adolescent United States.

Saturn in Sagittarius consolidates the eagerness to expand and to become a controlling factor in some larger environment—physical or ideological, as the case may be. The responsibilities of expansion are seen more clearly—and more consciously assumed. We not unlikely may be at the threshold of just such a period in terms of U. S. history. Symbolically speaking at least, "Eisenhowerism" may shade into "Nixonism"; and the power left in Western Europe's hands may pass even more definitely into those of the great American corporations.

THIS, AT LEAST, COULD VERY WELL BE WHAT the transit of Saturn through Sagittarius might come to mean; and the process is likely to reach its logical conclusion at the 1960 presidential elections, for then Jupiter and Saturn will be near their new conjunction at 24° Capricorn. It will occur in February, 1961, just after a new Administration takes over. This Capricorn conjunction will duplicate that of late November, 1901 (14° Capricorn); but then Uranus had just crossed the U.S. ascendant at 13° Sagittarius, *a crossing almost exactly coinciding with President McKinley's assassination* (September 6, 1901; Uranus at 12° 59' Sagittarius)—another "justification" for this ascendant.

Moreover, it may foreshadow the type of political world-wide events which many Astrologers are expecting around 1989-90, when Neptune, Uranus and Saturn will more or less meet in Capricorn—with Jupiter opposing them in Cancer in 1990. This Capricorn massing will be preceded, of course, by the passage of Neptune

(1977), then of Uranus (1984), over the mid-Sagittarius U.S. ascendant. Thus, we have a sequence of Sagittarian transits affecting the American people: now, Saturn, then Neptune, then Uranus, finally Pluto soon after the 21st century begins. This is a very fascinating sequence which raises many questions! It is just beginning.

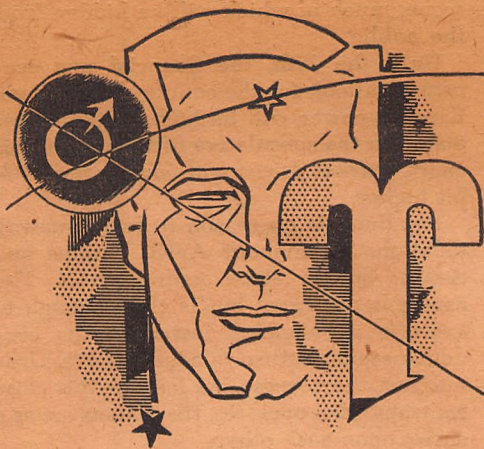
Concluding Thoughts

We must return, however, to the future immediately ahead and the vernal equinox chart, with its Uranian emphasis. Here we see the last manifestation of the waning square in the Uranus-Neptune 171-year cycle which will end in 1992 and which began with the aftermath of the Napoleonic era. The keynote now seems to be change, perhaps rebirth—but where and how, who would dare prophesy?

The combination of this Uranian influence and of the Saturnian emphasis for the U.S.A. makes a fascinating mystery. The most likely solution seems to be that our country will profit from the breakdown of the old European patterns of nationalism and imperialism established after the Napoleonic era and during the first part of the Uranus and Neptune cycle. It has done so already, and the process may become more definitely stabilized this year. It does not seem to require a wholesale war, for the spring of 1957 chart is probably too well integrated for that; but that there will be violence in many places and popular suffering is to be expected. The key issue, of course, is what will happen within the Soviet Empire; and it does not look like peace and contentment!

THE GREATEST ISSUES, HOWEVER, MAY NOT be at the political level; if they are, then they will be deeply colored by religious emotions and perhaps utter fanaticism. Yet the strong conjunction of the Sun and Mercury has fascinating possibilities, but not to be realized at once. Such a grand trine in fire signs as the equinoctial chart shows does not make for immediate results. There are no planets in earth signs. Mankind may be almost haunted with the future, with great ideals and plans, great hopes, vast potentialities of mental growth; yet compelled to hack its path to the transcendent dreams through a jungle of tor-

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April's PLANETS and YOU

By Carroll Duncan

April is the month when so often the clock of destiny strikes an important hour in the history of the United States. Once it sounded the clarion call to freedom, as in 1775. Sometimes its tones brought us the grim challenge of war, as in 1861 and 1917. Sometimes the notes were more somber and intoned a time of national sorrow, as in 1945.

Yet always the Aries lunation is important. Since it is the first New Moon after the vernal equinox it accentuates the pattern already set in motion by the seasonal chart. In 1957, the Aries New Moon actually takes place on March 31, falling barely within the first house, at Washington. In spite of the fact that transiting Mars will be crossing the ascendant and the position of Uranus in our nation's birth-chart, we need have no fear of war, since Jupiter—the benefic planet—is in the seventh house of the lunation chart, to give us protection against any conflicts.

But whenever Saturn—the grim reaper—is so close to the zenith in an important New Moon chart, as is the case at this time, the ancients taught that a country must expect "mourning in high places." So once more the clock of destiny is to strike a note of national sorrow before April comes to a close.

THERE ARE SEVERAL VERY IMPORTANT planetary factors operating in space this month. In all, between April 1 and May 1,

there will be 21 major aspects in the heavens: 1 conjunction, 4 squares, 4 oppositions, 1 sextile, 5 trines, 3 parallels and 3 contraparallels. They are quite evenly divided, as 10 of them are favorable, 11 adverse. Of the latter, by far the worst is the opposition of the two malefics, Mars and Saturn, on the 9th.

This aspect accents the fourth and tenth houses of the New Moon chart. It tends to produce very bad weather, including tornadoes which will cause a good many fatalities. On the political scene, the results will bring an open clash between the Administration and the opposition party, in which neither side will spare harsh and bitter words.

Any affliction between the malefics in transportation signs, such as this, will bring critical accidents. With Saturn in the publishing sign of Sagittarius, the mortality rate among publishing firms may rise when Mars afflicts Saturn.

On the more favorable side, the best aspect of the month is the conjunction of the Sun and Venus, an excellent augury for our national finances and business. It follows the "station" of Uranus, on the 10th, when that planet moves forward and away from its fairly close square to Neptune. This is the signal for the upward spiral of inflation to begin once more in the country, as the pent-up power of Uranus in the speculative sign of Leo is gradually released.

MOST OF THE CONSTRUCTIVE ASPECTS, THE sextiles and trines, take place during the first half of April. After the 20th, when the Sun and Venus enter Taurus, they form the square and opposition aspect to Uranus and Neptune, respectively, which are disruptive and disillusioning in character. Thus, it would be wise not to trust too much to promises made either on the domestic or international scene during that first surge of Aries vitality; subsequent developments may prove disappointing, especially when Mercury turns retrograde in Taurus on the 25th.

In the lunation chart at Washington, the last degree of Aquarius rises, usually an indication that an old order is passing in order to make way for a new one. This trend is accepted by the opposition of the ascendant to Pluto, just setting on the western horizon.

Venus is the first planet to rise, making the average individual almost too confident and optimistic. The general public will spend a great deal on pleasure this month, and all sports events will attract large crowds.

The lunation degree itself is well aspected, approaching a trine to Saturn in the tenth and to Pluto in the sixth. This latter aspect will mean a great deal of spending for national defense, on a scale larger than any of us had dreamed.

NEPTUNE IS PLACED IN THE EIGHTH HOUSE of the New Moon chart, a sure sign that there will be a great deal of confusion in tax returns this month; a great many mistakes will be made by well-meaning but ill-informed individuals. Since Neptune does receive some afflicting aspects later in the month, the government may be disappointed in the total amount of the returns.

The eighth house also stands for other people's money. With deceptive Neptune posited there, we simply cannot tell what our allies and friends will do with the money we are continuing to pour into their coffers!

On the 14th, there will be a Full Moon, occurring almost simultaneously with the Sun-Venus conjunction. In the chart cast for Washington, the Sun falls in the twelfth house, but again is very well aspected by Pluto and Saturn. Obviously, a great deal of political activity will go on behind the

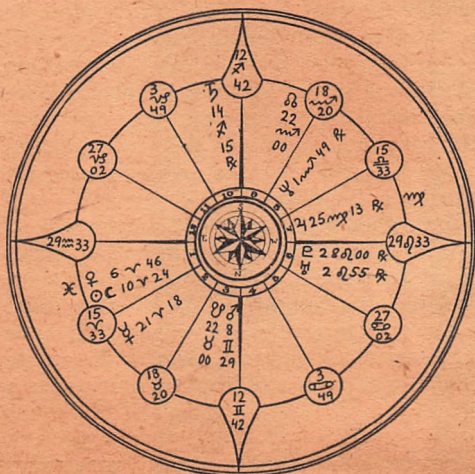
scene, much of which will be hidden from the public.

Until the 20th, the financial and economic outlook for the country is excellent. Earning power will be high. With Jupiter placed in the speculative fifth house of this chart, market prices will edge just a little bit higher.

Yet there is no reason to fear runaway inflation. Throughout April, Uranus and Saturn are in close contraparallel. The aspect is not *exact* but is close enough to exercise a balancing factor on the economic scene. Saturn is conservative, Uranus just the reverse. As long as this close contraparallel operates, the planets act as a check upon each other.

NEITHER NEW MOON NOR FULL MOON CHART this April shows any threat to this country from developments on the international scene. But undoubtedly supporting our friends and allies will prove increasingly expensive, and there may be some mutterings of public dissatisfaction around the 22nd and 23rd. The Administration could run into serious trouble with Congress now over legislation for foreign aid.

The month comes to an end on a critical note, caused first by the retrogradation of Mercury on the 25th, then by the eclipse of the Sun on the 29th. The last two days of April will bear watching. We may expect adverse developments abroad, disasters of Nature, possible market breaks, all tending to a certain loss of confidence.



New Moon, March 31, 1957
Washington, D.C.

1st quarter

MAR. 31-APR. 7

STRESS CONSERVATIVE PROJECTS

On the economic scene, this week will see a rise in the national income, a heavy volume of sales, the awarding of many important government contracts. With both the Sun and Venus trining Saturn, the public as a whole will be back of the Administration's program. The 4th and 5th bring danger of minor transportation accidents, while the square between Mercury and Uranus on the 6th is a warning of weather disturbances, including tornadoes and cyclones.

Throughout this period, remain conservative, rather than overconfident. Plan for the future, not for the present alone. Prepare tax returns with more than the usual care, since the opposition of Mercury to Neptune makes negligence and errors all too probable.

2nd quarter

APR. 7-14

TENSIONS RISE, DANGER OF CRITICAL ACCIDENTS

The outstanding planetary influence over this week is the Mars-Saturn opposition of the 9th. Falling in transportation signs, it will produce serious accidents in all fields of travel; the mortality rate is bound to be high. With Mars in Gemini—which rules winds—weather disturbances continue to be destructive, especially in the cyclone areas of the southeast and middle west. Political

repercussions will develop, and a rift is likely to grow between Congress and the Administration. But financially and in a business way, the country continues to move forward. People will have plenty of money to spend; unfortunately, the trend toward installment buying and speculation will receive a shot in the arm after Uranus in Leo turns direct in motion on the 10th.

3rd quarter

APR. 14-21

PREPARE FOR THE UNEXPECTED

The first two days of this period are excellent. With the Sun conjunct Venus on the 14th, much can be accomplished in business and finance. National spending for Easter finery will come close to breaking records. But by the 17th, a far more ominous atmosphere is created by aspects governing the remainder of this lunar week. On the 18th, the Moon occults Saturn in space, touches off the recent Mars-Saturn opposition, as well as conjoins the position of Saturn in the tenth house of the lunation chart. More fatalities can be expected in transportation accidents, as well as news of the deaths of important people in government. The weather picture continues to be adverse, especially around the 20th.

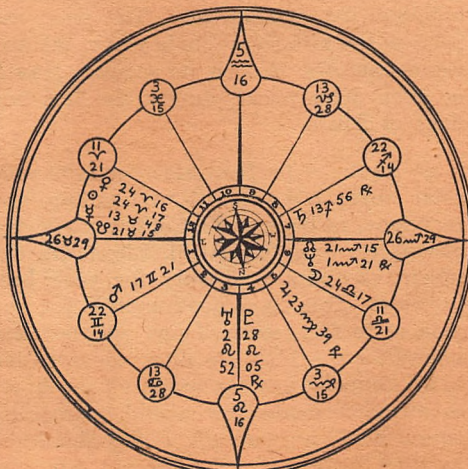
4th quarter

APR. 21-29

A CRISIS APPROACHES

For the first time this month, there will be the hint of trouble in foreign affairs. Transiting Mars has now made its return to its own place in our nation's birth-chart and is squaring our natal fifth-house Neptune, placing a grave strain on our diplomacy. Developments on the international scene could force the Administration toward some very unexpected move, which would immediately bring wide disapproval in Congress.

The squares between Mars and Jupiter, the Sun and Uranus, both on the 23rd, could bring a market break. A slight sag in the financial picture of the nation becomes apparent now; by the 25th, when Mercury turns retrograde, a definite slowdown will get under way. On the domestic scene, the question of civil rights and the segregation issue again begin to make



Full Moon, April 14, 1957
Washington, D.C.

news; these are likely to cause a split in leadership in the opposition party.

eclipse of the sun April 29

All the tensions that have been building up behind the scenes will break out in full force during the last two days of April. The period is highly critical for markets, business and international affairs, while earthquakes and other disasters of Nature can be expected.

The Lunation in Your Birth-Sign

♈ The lunation falls in your solar first house, Aries, making it one of the most important of the year for you. As long as you keep your buoyant energy under control, you can accomplish a great deal through the month. Your own efforts will meet recognition, and all your executive and promotional abilities will be at a peak. But your ruler, Mars, is heavily afflicted—first by Saturn, then by Jupiter—so you cannot afford to overextend yourself in any way. Avoid all risks on the 9th; this includes travel. Romance is at its best on the 14th.

♉ Take this month in your stride, Taurus, and maintain your usual cautious and conservative approach to all problems. With the New Moon in your solar twelfth house, much is going on behind your back that could explode in your face later on. Don't trust partners or associates too far. Keep a tight rein on the purse strings, especially on the 9th. Don't try shortcuts on your tax returns; instead, be extra careful in preparing them. An opportunity for a residential change will come in mid-April, but make no decisions in a hurry.

♊ Gemini, the lunation falls in your eleventh house of hopes and wishes, some of which may come true this month. But the most powerful factor in your life now is Mars, transiting through your sign and badly afflicted by Saturn on the 9th. Avoid risks of all kinds; restrain your usual impatience, for partners and associates will be uncooperative. Above all, do not travel at that time, as the danger of accidents is very great. Your home life is happy; in romantic matters, your best period will come around the 14th.

♊ Cancer, the Aries New Moon accents your solar tenth house of business and profession; and you can make real strides in these fields over the first week of the month. After that, you will have to be on your guard against people who would "knife you in the back" without a second thought. Be especially cautious in all your affairs on the 9th, 10th and 23rd. Watch your health, too, as you are sensitive to nerve strain and could be really ill as a result. The Full Moon of the 14th marks your most favorable time. Entertain in your home and make new friends.

♊ Properly handled, the planetary aspects this month could start a new and brilliant cycle for you, Leo. The New Moon falls in your solar ninth house, stimulating your mental qualities and creative ability. But in no sense can you take financial or speculative risks, for you would be inviting disaster by the end of the month. Romance is likely to prove very disappointing, with quarrels or estrangements possible on the 9th. Have all business and professional affairs in sound order before the Sun's eclipse on the 29th.

♊ Virgo, the Aries lunation falls in your solar eighth house, ruling, death, taxes and legacies. Fortunately, Jupiter still protects you in personal affairs, as it remains in your Sun-Sign. But you cannot afford to take any chances in business matters on the 9th. Restrain an impulse to quarrel with your superiors. Don't voice your opinions too emphatically. The good aspects of the 14th should help you in tax and estate matters. But on no account travel, or even drive a car, during the last two days of April.

♊ As the Aries New Moon accents your solar seventh house of partnership and marriage, sit back and let others make decisions for you this April, Libra. On the whole, partners will work for your best interests. This is a good month for romance; in fact, some of you will be altar bound on the 14th. Be ultra conservative in all financial and tax matters over April, as mistakes made now would boomerang rather badly next month. Travel should be avoided through the first half of the month, especially at the Mars-Saturn conjunction on the 9th.

♈ There are big opportunities for work and creative efforts in your profession, as the Aries lunation falls in your solar sixth house of employment, Scorpio. Maintain a conservative approach and you will see big gains around the 14th. Your greatest difficulties this month will come in tax matters, so check your returns with utmost care. Expenses tend to run fairly high on the 9th and 23rd. Romance, which is slow over the early part of April, becomes more exciting after the 20th. The end of the month may bring a sudden marriage to some of you.

♈ All the force of the Aries planets, including the New Moon, is concentrated on your solar fifth house of romance and speculation, Sagittarius. Yet in spite of the drive given your life in this direction, you will be restrained in many ways because of the afflictions to Saturn, still in your Sun-Sign. Avoid arguments with your marriage partner on the 9th, when you will be particularly touchy. Love and romance could crack under the strain of that day. Place duty above pleasure all through this month, and steer clear of speculative enterprises.

♈ Interest this month centers largely around your home environment, as the New Moon falls in your solar fourth house, Capricorn. If you are interested in selling any property, push such matters early in April, as the outlook is good for a sale around the 14th. Financially, Jupiter con-

tinues to protect you in most fields of life, though tax and estate matters may bring you unexpected headaches. But watch your physical status all through April, as the Mars-Saturn opposition involves your health houses. Do your best to avoid accidents on the 9th.

♈ The Aries lunation accents your solar third house, bringing you many new mental contacts and a great deal of inspiration, Aquarian. Your contacts with relatives will be closer over the month, and a family reunion on the 14th would prove very satisfactory. But during the second half of April, when Uranus—opposing your sign—is badly afflicted, be diplomatic in all dealings with your marriage partner or business associates. Romance is not favored this month, whether you are single or married. Neither is speculation or any kind of financial risk.

♈ The New Moon falls in your solar second house of wealth, and you will enjoy greater earning power over the first half of the month. But business and professional interests are subject to sudden upsets, especially around the 9th. Maintain an ultra-conservative approach in order to hold your own. Keep up all fire insurance, for with an afflicted Mars transiting through your solar fourth house, you might have a bad fire in your home environment. Unexpected expenses may develop around the 23rd, in connection with partners. Don't be overextended then.

SPRING WORLD PREDICTIONS

turing everyday problems and concrete frustrations.

It may, therefore, require of all of us—particularly of the world's leaders—great patience and endurance and a real long-term policy. Saturn in Sagittarius should help us to crystallize such a policy. Indeed, this century is one of truly "religious" wars, as long ago (1914) the French scientist and sociologist, Gustave La Bon, predicted and Arnold Toynbee later recognized. The issue at stake is none other than the seed destiny of the

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"Aquarian Age" which I believe will begin in 100 years. Hitler was right in realizing that whatever great faith would win this religious ideological "Civil War of Man" would control the next 1000 years; only he played one of the losing hands.

Historians might remember that in not an unsimilar situation some 2000 years ago, the ultimately victorious power was not the Roman Empire, but a new religion, the Christian faith, that spread through its slow disintegration. Let us once more watch Palestine.

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"Let the dead bury the dead"

TWILIGHT OF THE GODS

BY CLAIRE LOUISE

In times of old, the German tribes believed in many gods and goddesses. They were personifications of natural forces. They were also idealizations of certain German types. But there was one factor at least in which Teutonic paganism differed from others. None of their gods and goddesses was immortal. One day, the terrible "Twilight of the gods" would come—the last war between gods and giants—and then the whole world would go up in a sheet of flame and everything would be destroyed. This would happen because the whole world had become guilty, including the gods. Thus, with a strange kind of sense of justice, the old Germans condemned their own gods to death.

This theme has been taken up by many German ballads, both old and modern. The great composer Richard Wagner based his formidable tetralogy, "*Der Ring des Nibelungen*," on it. We know that the theme was foremost in Adolf Hitler's mind, particularly when things began to go wrong. To him, the impending downfall of Nazi Germany was the twilight of the gods. (Some of his less balanced followers even went so far as to reintroduce quite seriously the belief in the old pagan god, Wodan or Wotan.)

It was the twilight idea that made Hitler give the orders to destroy everything rather than to surrender, and it was the twilight idea that made him destroy himself in the end. He had given orders to have his body burned and to have the famous funeral march from the "*Ring*"

played on the German radio after the formal announcement of his death.

A STRANGE AND MORBID LONGING FOR death, the death urge, is not confined to German psychology alone. It is part and parcel of most people's psychological make-up, but strongly and sanely out-balanced by the urge for self-preservation. Some people may discover the death urge when looking down from a great height, the top of a mountain, a skyscraper or high bridge, though only a few wretches with underdeveloped will power or pernicious anemia of the sense of responsibility will "shut out" the urge of self-preservation and jump.

A close relative of the death urge is a sense of impending doom. Hypersensitive people may be persecuted by it and persecute others with their wailings. Some of them will not content themselves with presentiments of their own imminent death, but will project that feeling on others, occasionally even on all others. Thus, we have our would-be prophets with their dreary reiterations of the end of the world "next August or January." There is no room here to go into the various prophecies, based upon all kinds of interpretations of the Bible or other much less hallowed, misinterpreted sources.

True presentiments are very rare. They, too, can lead to certain erroneous deductions. I remember the case of a famous priest who at the age of seventy-eight began to tell his friends that he knew for

sure that the end of all things was very near, that it was only a matter of months, then of weeks. The priest was a man of great wisdom and possessed a first-rate intellect, undiminished by his age. Some thought he was going mad; others, that perhaps he really knew what he was talking about. He himself was absolutely sure of it. "It will be in two weeks." "It will be next week."

Then he died, quite suddenly, from a stroke.

He had a true presentiment all right. But what he had felt was his own death, and he projected it on the death of the world. He was too strong a character to think of his own death. He was born with the Sun in Aries.

IN NOVEMBER, 1956, A RATHER OUTSPOKEN character—also with the Sun in Aries—Nikita Khrushchev, Secretary General of the Communist Party in the U.S.S.R., made one of his wilder speeches. The occasion was a state banquet for his Polish counterpart, Mr. Gomulka. However, much of Mr. Khrushchev's speech was not addressed to him, but to the Western ambassadors present. Arians are notoriously rude people. Communists are notoriously rude people. Mr. Khrushchev more than proved that he was both. But the crucial sentence of his peroration was: "We shall bury you!"

Logic is not perhaps a communist strong suit. But even so, there is no way of misinterpreting this classic sentence. "We shall bury you" can mean only one thing: that Mr. Khrushchev expects communism to survive capitalism; that Soviet Russia will survive the West. In this connection, he promised his good services as a gravedigger.

There is, of course, little doubt that Khrushchev excels in that role. He has dug the grave of Stalin's reputation and of that foolish virgin, Miss Coexistence. I was reminded of a wisecrack from Hungary, exported by some of the refugees: "The Russians cannot possibly give up Hungary. All the best wood for coffins comes from our country."

But the very first thing that came to my mind when I read Khrushchev's sentence was the presentiment of my friend, the priest who felt the first pangs of death and

projected them on the world at large.

"We shall bury you." Khrushchev is thinking of death and burial. It cannot, it must not be his own; it cannot, it must not be that of Soviet Russia; it cannot, it must not be that of world communism. If it were, it would be the twilight of the gods, of god Marx, of god Lenin, of . . . but then god Stalin had already gone.

But the thought of death and burial was there. So it must be projected on others, on the hated West.

Gomulka, incidentally, just grinned. The Western ambassadors walked out.

WAS IT A TRUE PRESENTIMENT? MUCH HAS happened, much has come to our knowledge to strengthen the idea that it was—so much, in fact, that one feels what Sir Winston Churchill at another crucial moment felt about Nazi Germany: "The maggot is in the apple." The smell from Russia is no longer only the smell of steel and of blood. There is a whiff of putrefaction, of disintegration.

Soviet intervention in Hungary has brought to light that not all Russian troops are reliable; that not all Russian troops are good, let alone invincible; above all, that their spirit is no longer that of the Red Army of old, of men who, however stupidly and ignorantly, believe in fighting for an ideal.

I was pretty near the frontier in those days; and I have seen and heard many things, but none more remarkable than the spirit of the Hungarian youth—a youth, let us remember, who has never known any other system but communism, who was brought up impregnated with Marxism. They were bored with it, bored to tears. They were sick of it. The intelligent ones could see through it. The less intelligent ones simply refused it because it was the religion of the oppressor! The churches, never empty, now almost burst at the seams.

In the course of December, 1956, the first news seeped through of discontent within Russia proper, especially in the Ukraine, whose inhabitants—like the Catalans of Spain or the Czechs in the former Austro-Hungarian Empire—never really wanted to belong. There are peoples in Europe who of their very nature are "separatist"; some of them are tiny

minorities who would never be able to form a state, but that could scarcely be said about the Ukraine. News came about unrest at Russian universities, and we remember that the students in Hungary were among the first in the fight for freedom.

TO A DISEASE, HEALTH MUST BE A HATEFUL thing, an unsound thing, an unnatural state. No wonder then that dyed-in-the-wool communists regard as disintegration what really is the beginning of recuperation, the forming of antitoxins.

The process will go on. It is bound to go on. There is obvious discord in the Kremlin itself about the measures to be taken. We are told about a "Malenkov faction" and about "old Stalinists"—the former to represent the milder; the latter, the sterner course. But that, I think, is too primitive a division. It was Khrushchev who, ousted Malenkov; but the same Khrushchev then went further than his predecessor and even became the father of the coexistence theory, the man who believed in propaganda journeys and rough-and-ready assurances of peace and good will.

I wonder whether we shall ever know who gave the fatal order to send the Russian armored divisions clattering into Hungary. Was it Khrushchev again? Was it Suslov, a new and fanatical face looming up on the Russian horizon? Or was it by any chance Zhukov? Zhukov certainly spoke for it at the November celebrations, and his speech did much to disillusion those who still thought that only party functionaries were nasty people and that the Russian army commanders were decent military men, soldiers without political interests, Russians first and communists then. There was something of the "former brother-in-arms," of the former faithful ally, of the—Heaven forgive me—knightly leader of men about Zhukov. There is no longer. He, too, has unmasked himself.

The truth is that things at the Kremlin are fermenting (I am writing this in the end days of December, 1956); no one seems to know even in that fortress of Communism what course should be taken. The true symbol for the situation is the position of Molotov. There is no doubt that he is what is now called a "Stalinist."

He was given a new ministerial job. But that very job is of such a kind that it could be either extremely important or utterly unimportant.

AS COORDINATOR OF ALL MINISTRIES, Molotov could be all-powerful—or just one more functionary, just one more link in a chain. Pale and ghostly, his cold, hard face can be seen, sphinxlike, in the background. I for one do not believe that he will ever be Number One. His is not the face to launch either a thousand tanks or a thousand doves of peace.

The reaction of the Western world to what happened in Hungary was so vehement (much more vehement than in the assembly of the United Nations) that the men in the Kremlin became frightened. The most peaceful of all countries, the very land of neutrality, tiny Switzerland, immediately took in eleven thousand Hungarian refugees—which is as if the United States had taken in four hundred and forty thousand, all in a few weeks! (There are four million Swiss.)

An Austrian frontier post shot a Russian soldier dead who tried to pursue refugees beyond the Hungarian frontier. The entire Swiss press howled with fury against Moscow, and one influential Swiss periodical went so far as to give its leader the headline: "Vengeance for Hungary!" Communist parties in France and especially in Italy lost members by the tens and even the hundreds of thousands. Hard-boiled communist intellectuals left the party. Suddenly, it was no longer modern and progressive to be a communist; on the contrary, it was reactionary. In fact, the reaction was such that at long last the world outside Russia no longer seemed to fear communism. It was communism that began to be afraid of freedom—for under the breath of freedom every tyranny must disintegrate.

"We shall bury you." Behind the truculent exclamation of gravedigger Khrushchev was fear—the fear of freedom on the march. There has never been coexistence. There was only the lull between the period in which communism attacked and the new one, when the initiative had passed to the other side.

THAT OTHER SIDE IS NOT THE WEST ONLY. It is the entire free world; there are

soldiers of freedom everywhere, which includes Russia. Cold observation may make us conclude that this is an organic process and, therefore, a slow one; that Poland with her cautious attitude did the right thing and Hungary in her explosiveness the wrong one. It may be—I am not at all sure about it—that history will confirm that. But even so, who can help admiring those who were ready to fight for freedom, those men and women who sent their children across the Austrian border with a piece of paper fixed to their clothes: "Please look after our children; we must have our hands free to fight."

It is this spirit that has told the world that Europe is not finished. If we have it, if we have some of it, Khrushchev will never bury us, for we shall be the new revolutionaries; and our flags will be those of progress.

The world is sick of Marxian claptrap, of the fiendish and cynical mouthings of communist leaders, to whom nothing is sacred except the hell they are trying to sell us as a paradise.

Will there be an organic evolution, a natural process in stages, from international to national communism, from there to a more democratized form and finally to true democracy?

The chart of Soviet Russia gives the answer to that question. Saturn in detriment in the tenth house, badly afflicted by the Sun and Uranus is the classic constellation of rise and fall.

The fall need not be the result of a third world war. But it will hardly be an "organic process." Blood will flow in Russia. Neptune, so near the midheaven, may try to hide the facts from the outside world behind a curtain, not of iron, but of lies, of rumors and counter-rumors. But there will be violence.

WATCH SATURN IF YOU WANT TO KNOW anything about what is or will be going on in Russia. The planet entered a new sign in October, 1956. It entered Sagittarius, the ruling sign of Arabia and Hungary. When Russia intervened, in November, Saturn was square the Russian Mars. Both Saturn and Mars are in the tenth house of the Soviet chart. Thus, the entire tenth-house constellation became virulent; and the tenth house is the mirror of career, of

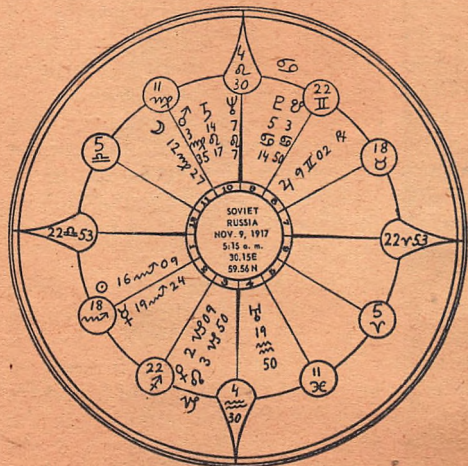
position in the world, of reputation and standing.

Russian reputation, Soviet standing was undermined (Saturn) at that time. Remember July 13, 1949, when the Pope solemnly threatened excommunication to every Catholic embracing communism? At that time, Saturn was conjunct the Russian Mars, exact to the minute. That was a terrible blow for Communism, and those who may think that it had little effect should remember the cry of the thousands and thousands of Poles just before Gomulka was released from prison to take over the government: "Give us back our God," the Poles shouted. Today the Cardinal of Poland is back in office and religious instruction permitted again.

What of the future? The transiting Saturn will oppose the radical Jupiter in July and again in September, 1957. The planet will square the Russian Moon in October. But only in 1963 will Saturn oppose the radical Saturn; in 1964, it will oppose the radical Moon twice; in 1965, a third time. By then, Uranus will be conjunct the Russian Moon and Jupiter will square the Russian Mars.

Can the fateful time for Russia be delayed that long?

It could be; but I do not think so, for the Russian position is already undermined. Therefore, there is no need for such a concentration of aspects to bring about the end of the present regime. During a war, not only those who have a grave accident constellation in their horoscopes are liable to be wounded or killed. When the danger



coefficient is high enough, minor aspects are quite sufficient.

NEPTUNE WILL SQUARE THE RUSSIAN MID-heaven first in December, 1957; it then will become stationary and remain in that square up to April, 1958. It will return there in October and will again be stationary in the same position between May and September, 1959. Pluto will be conjunct the Russian Mars from October, 1958, to March, 1959; again in August and September; and in the spring, 1960.

December, 1957, will be worth watching. In that month, Khrushchev will have Jupiter opposition his Sun; Molotov will have Saturn square his Sun; Shepilov will have Uranus square his Sun; Malenkov will

have passed his Jupiter-Sun square and have Jupiter square his Jupiter. This is too much of an accumulation of aspects to pass without some repercussions.

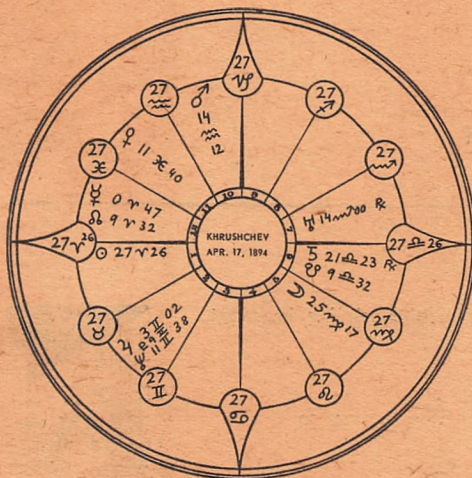
In September, 1958, Uranus will pass over the Russian Saturn. The planet will square the Russian Sun in October-November; again in January, 1959; and once more in August of that year. In September and October, it will oppose its radical position. Thus, if dangerous aspects are needed, we do not have to wait for 1963 or 1964.

However great the chance is that most of us will see the end of the most tyrannical and loathsome regime the world has ever seen—and that chance was never greater within the last thirty-odd years—we cannot afford to relax. The colossus will topple and fall. In its fall, it will crush many. Against that we must protect ourselves. There is hope that this will be possible without a third world war—but there is no guarantee for that, neither politically nor astrologically.

Only one thing is certain: Soviet Russia will not win it. The end is in sight. As for Khrushchev, the answer is in the New Testament: "Let the dead bury the dead."

Other data, briefly mentioned.

Khrushchev	Apr. 17 (1894)	☉ 27½ ♍
Shepilov	Nov. 4 (1905)	☉ 12♎
Molotov	Mar. 9 (1890)	☉ 19♋
Malenkov	Jan. 8 (1902)	☉ 17¼ ♊
		☿ 23.09 ♊
Zukhov	Dec. 2 (1896)	☉ 10¼ ♏



An Aquarian man unknowingly spoke an astrological classic when he confided to a friend that his marriage and home life were "just like a house divided against itself." At the time, his progressed Moon in Libra had recently moved to an opposition of his progressed Sun in Aries. Due to interceptions in his natal horoscope, his seventh house of partnerships is occupied by 17 degrees of Cancer (Moon) and 26 degrees of Leo (Sun). Uranus has occupied his seventh sector since June, 1952.

An Astrology student became interested in hourly planetary rulers. The accuracy became vivid when, during a Saturn hour, a salesman of burial plots in a memorial park was a business visitor. When he left, after a pleasantly serious conversation, the student was not surprised, upon checking, to learn that Saturn was favorably aspected that day.

The positive Cancerian psychology is exemplified in a radio station disc jockey. He is modest, whimsical and on one occasion devoted an hour show to spinning records with titles pertaining to food, such as "Celery Stalks at Midnight." Also an artist (Moon in Leo), quite a few of his published cartoons have related to food.

LOOKING AHEAD



**THE RIGHT DAY
FOR THE RIGHT DEED**
By Lulu Bradley Cram

**Pussies on the willows,
Catkins in the breeze,
Red buds on the maples,
All the joyous trees
Budding in the springtime,
What a lovely show.—Ruth B. Field**

BUSINESS

Advertising, submitting manuscripts, selling, canvassing, writing, signing important papers: March 26, 27; April 16, 20, 25, 30.

Collections: March 23; April 2, 3, 9, 20, 24, 30.

Seek employment, promotion, favors: March 23, 25; April 9, 13, 22, 24, 29.

Deal with bankers or credit men: April 3, 12, 20, 24, 26, 30.

Travel: March 21, 23, 24, 30; April 12, 20, 24, 26. **By air:** March 23, 30; April 12, 26.
By water: April 6, 24.

Buy an automobile: March 27, 30; April 12, 16, 26.

Buy machinery, tools and implements: April 2, 9, 12, 13, 16, 23, 26, 28.

Buy permanent home or office and for long-term lease: March 26, 27; April 2, 3, 9, 10, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 30.



HOMEMAKING

Home baking: March 23, 24, 31; April 1, 7, 8, 13, 14, 19, 20, 21, 27, 28.

Home canning: March 28, 29; April 15, 16, 24, 25, 26.

Preserves and jellies: March 26, 27; April 15, 16, 22, 23.

Dehydration or drying: March 21, 22; April 17, 18, 27, 28.

Dressmaking, mending, designing or trimming hats: April 2, 9, 10, 13, 30.



THE WAY TO LOVE AND BEAUTY

Romance, entertainment, weddings, music, poetry and paintings: March 27, 30; April 2, 5, 9, 10, 13, 22, 24, 29.

Photography: March 27; April 2, 9, 10, 13, 14, 24.

Buy clothing and jewelry: March 26, 27; April 3, 9, 10, 13.

Buy shoes: March 21, 26, 27, 31; April 3, 5, 9, 13, 22, 27.

Buy house furnishings and adornment: March 26, 27; April 3, 9, 10, 13.

To stimulate growth of hair, trimming or scalp treatments: April 6, 7, 8 (A.M.).

To eliminate corns, callouses, warts, blemishes, superfluous hair, begin treatments: March 26, 27; April 22, 23.



HEALTH

Diathermy, electrical and magnetic treatments: April 12, 16, 26.

Osteopathy, chiropractics, mental healing: April 3, 5, 9, 13, 22, 27.

Testing eyes: March 26, 27; April 16, 20, 25, 30.

To wean infants or animals: April 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26.



FARMING

Plant top crops: April 6, 7, 8 (A.M.).

Plant root crops: March 28, 29; April 15, 16, 24, 25, 26.

Plant flowers: April 6, 7, 8 (A.M.), 13.

Plant corn, wheat, barley, rye and oats: April 6, 7, 8 (A.M.), 13.

For budding, grafting, pollenizing blossoms or transplanting: April 6, 7, 8 (A.M.).

Pruning: March 28, 29; April 15, 16, 24, 25, 26.

Seeding for grain, hay, cereals: April 6, 7, 8 (A.M.).

For cultivating, grubbing, trimming, spraying, deadening noxious growths and weeds or destroying pests: March 26, 27; April 22, 23.

Irrigation: March 28, 29; April 7, 8, 15, 16, 24, 25, 26.

Set poles, fence posts; make cement or concrete; lay cornerstones or foundations: March 26, 27; April 22, 23.

Digging, drilling, tunneling, mining: April 3, 5, 9, 13, 22, 27.

Paint or shingle: March 26, 27; April 15, 16, 22, 23.

Put coal in cellar: March 26, 27; April 2, 3, 9, 10, 15, 16, 22, 23, 29, 30.

Dig or drill wells: March 28, 29; April 7, 8, 15, 16, 24, 25, 26.

Harvest top crops: March 26, 27; April 22, 23.

Harvest potatoes and other root crops and pick fruit: April 17, 18, 27, 28.

Set chicken eggs: April 13, 14, 21.

Set duck and turkey eggs: April 6, 7, 14.

Set goose eggs: April 4, 5, 12.

Buy poultry hatched on: April 6, 7, 8 (A.M.).

Fishing: March 28, 29; April 7, 8, 15, 16, 24, 25, 26.



THIS 'N' THAT



A person with Mercury conjunct Saturn fears communications, such as telephone calls in the night, telegrams, bad news in letters.

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Capricorn children are vengeful if they feel they have been unjustly reprimanded. One small Capricorn youngster cuts holes in his mother's dresses, the draperies or cushions when he has been punished.

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Neptune in the tenth house is the signature of the dreamer. Sometimes he is a genius. In any event, he rarely follows an ordinary vocation and is seldom understood by his fellow men.

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You can always depend upon your Gemini friend to send you postcards when he is away. He enjoys writing, but prefers cards to letters, as he doesn't like to concentrate.

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A Capricorn cook follows a recipe carefully and conscientiously; but her zodiacal partner, Mrs. Cancer, likes to follow the dictates of her own fancy. She is the "a little of this and a pinch of that" type of cook.

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An Astrologer slid into a booth in a restaurant beside an old friend. The man began conversing about his athletic career of the past and his present

highly satisfactory association with the hotel business. "Hmmm," mused the Astrologer, "I'll bet my new hat he was born in Leo." When is your birthday," she inquired. "August 6," was the reply.

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A Libra woman revels in cubbyholes, out-of-the-way closets and cupboards in which she may tuck things.

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A Virgoan often fears infection, which may account for his dislike of close personal contacts. We have in mind one Virgo woman with a strange obsession. She never touches a door-knob until she has washed it. When entering a public building, she will ask someone close by to open the door for her.

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The reserved dignity of Scorpio often appears to be accompanied by a vast silence.

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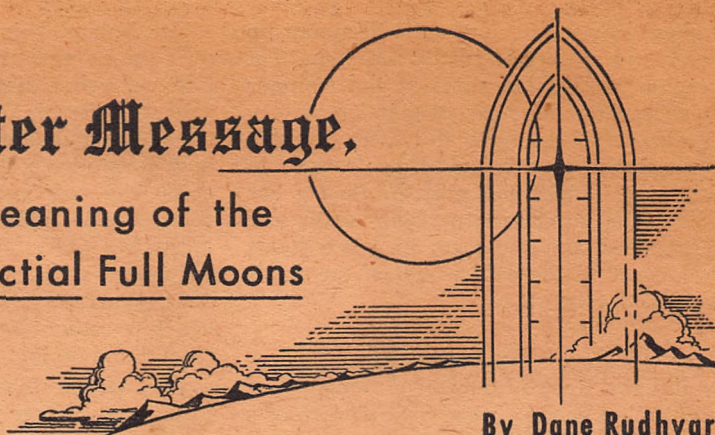
An Aries woman should always have a cold-wave permanent in preference to the machine type; she should never have the dryer at its highest heat.

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A Sagittarian likes to go about with his coat unbuttoned and his neck bare in cold weather. He abhors tightly fitting collars.

An Easter Message.

The Meaning of the Equinoctial Full Moons



By Dane Rudhyar

This year, the celebration of the Easter festival falls very late—on April 21. The exact date varies every year because Easter must always be the Sunday after the first Full Moon which follows the spring equinox. Practical-minded historians have thought that this time was selected so that pilgrims from somewhat distant lands might be able to travel at night in the light of the Full Moon; but the real meaning of the correlation evidently goes far deeper! From a cosmic or astrological point of view, the real Easter is the Full Moon which follows the spring equinox—i.e., the equinoctial Full Moon. For this reason, Easter can be said to have a polar opposite within the cycle of the year—the Full Moon which follows the fall equinox.

Both these post-equinox Full Moons have a deep significance indeed; they exteriorize, as it were, the very power of the equinoxes. Every Full Moon, in a sense, exteriorizes the meaning and power of the preceding New Moon, for a New Moon represents an "impregnation" of the Moon by the Sun, source of all light and radiant energy. A New Moon is a conjunction of the Moon and the Sun; the Moon, as it were, disappears in the embrace of the Sun. But at Full Moon, the Moon opposes the Sun in zodiacal position. It reflects the Sun; but, in a deeper sense, it exteriorizes, manifests outwardly and fully reveals the impact which the Sun made at the time of their conjunction.

WE MAY CALL SUCH STATEMENTS POETIC and dismiss them with a smile. But should we dismiss so early the extraordinary fact that the discs of the Moon and the Sun are practically of the same size? We may say this is mere chance; but considering that the Moon is actually enormously smaller in size than the Sun, it is indeed a strange chance that made this Moon of ours revolve around us at a distance such that its nearness compensates exactly for the difference in size of Sun and Moon—the result being that they appear both to be the same size.

What we see in the disc of the Full Moon is, thus, an area of light equal to the Sun's apparent surface. We cannot safely gaze directly at the bright Sun; it blinds us. But have we not all looked a long time at the Full Moon, seeking to see in the brilliant disc some kind of meaningful shape or to feel some emotional inspiration? This light of the Full Moon is actually reflected solar light. The Moon mirrors back to us the face of its solar beloved, with whom it had become united a fortnight before.

At Easter, this Full Moon light may convey to us—if we are true "pilgrims" eager to attune ourselves to the message of the Resurrection—something of the great experience of the spring equinox. The Sun then crossed the equatorial circle in its motion northward. From now on, the arc of the solar orb, through the sky, will tighten up further every day. The

radiant source of solar heat will mount up more and more toward the zenith until it reaches its highest point at the summer solstice. But even now, its piercing victory is assured; even now, the seeds tremble deep in the earth's soil—they tremble in longing for light and rebirth. Spring has come—the summons to begin again and once more to flame forth in green stems in answer to the golden call of the Sun's light and warmth.

IN CHRISTIAN COUNTRIES, EASTER CELEBRATES the Resurrection of a God-man, a man full of spiritual seed for the birth of a new planetary "Great Cycle." But all races and civilizations have believed in the periodic coming of God-men or Seed-men, whose sacrificial and ritual lives sound forth the keynotes of new cycles which their deaths open. *These cycles themselves are their "resurrected bodies."* They become, through their death which means fulfillment and rebirth, cycles of time, eons.

That there are such men, that there are such glorious sacramental deaths, that old cycles die only to find rebirth in new ones—to these great truths the equinoctial Full Moon of Easter every year bears a symbolic witness. The Full Moon reveals in its glowing countenance, for those "who have eyes to see," its great equinoctial experience. It formulates in poems of cool light the fiery union it has known—for "God is a consuming fire" and the spring equinox tears open all seeds with the fire of a cosmic love.

The "Wester" Full Moon

Before very long, the clock of the seasons inevitably brings the time of autumnal peace and the end of the period of vegetation. Once more, the Sun crosses the equinoctial plane; but now it is a moving away, a retirement to the southern realm of the sky. Once more, day and night become of equal length; but now night wears the cloak of her solemn and mystic triumph. She will dominate the weeks to come; and her rule forces all living things inward, back to their roots, back to the feel of togetherness within the envelope of the seed, the "sacred community."

For human beings, this means—wherever the natural rhythm of the seasons is followed—that, after having each struggled to make his own field fruitful during the spring and summer months, they come now together to garner the harvest and enjoy the reaping. Men create in relatively single efforts spent on their own individual fields; thus, they acquire individualized skills and a clear, steady sense of responsibility. But in the true, warm-hearted, radiant moment of reaping, men should and do join hands and hearts.

This is the "harvest festival," and its forms are infinitely varied. This variety produced the many cultures of mankind, for a culture is a poem of group enjoyment, of social cohesion and of united thanksgiving to life and the source of life. In the zodiac, this is the Libra period, immediately after the fall equinox; and the Full Moon which follows answers back with its autumnal light to the vernal glory of the Easter Full Moon.

WHATEVER MAY BE THE EXACT ETYMOLOGY of the word Easter, we can see in it an at least symbolic reference to the east, which always has been associated in men's minds with dawn, sunrise and the re-beginning of cycles. But the Sun sets in the west; there it "falls" into the night world, the unfathomable realm of what today we call the "Collective Unconscious." The collective unconscious is simply the realm in which operates the sharing of all that human beings have already experienced; it is the all-human harvest, the global and total culture of all mankind—the "granary" from which men gather and revivify the substance of common human dreams with mind, will and faith tensed toward new and greater tomorrows.

I speak, thus, of the "Wester" Full Moon, which each year reveals to men—whose inner eyes can see beyond the superficial death of all living organisms—the immortality of the seed. The seed does not die. The seed is small, insignificant, bare, tightly structured, hidden within the decay of seasonal things. But the seed is the "secret place" where life has its shrine; its flame is unextinguishable.

It is that flame which will call to the

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Horoscope's Exclusive Feature

YOUR



INDIVIDUAL PLANET FORECAST

For the Period March 18 to May 18, 1957

The transiting planets of the present moment influence you through the planets of your horoscope. If, for example, you know Neptune was in Taurus when you were born, you know that the material contained in paragraph 1 below applies to you now. The same applies to all other planets. Read the paragraph that applies to your Neptune, Uranus, Saturn, Jupiter, Mars, Venus, Mercury and Moon because of the sign each of these occupied when you were born.

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Neptune

The paragraph below which applies to you gives the planetary influences at work on your Neptune and has special reference to the life factors ruled by Neptune: your inner nature, natal intelligence, intuitions and to some extent your idealism and susceptibility to love of sensationalism, illusion, dreams.

1 If Neptune at your birth was in Taurus, from March 18 to May 4 places an accent on pecuniary interests and belongings. Be active concerning buying, selling, money matters. Follow means and methods you know by experience to be sound and successful. Turn a deaf ear to sudden impulses—whether your own or another's. Be frugal and try to scale down charge accounts and term buying. The balance of this span stirs mental proclivities, writings, conferences, details. Keep busy and try to get things done; but be guarded against hate, impulsive changes, complications.

Transiting Neptune opposes your planet of inspiration and intuition, setting barriers in your path. Move warily in respect to partnership, legal and public matters. Uranus continues to square your Neptune, so it would be wise to be conventional in behavior. Stop and reflect on why you want to do things. If you find that eccentric suggestions come from others, drop them from your circle of associates. You will save yourself a great deal of trouble by looking carefully before you leap.

2 If Neptune at your birth was in Gemini, the current cycle is mainly favorable, even though you tend to run into stubborn opposition from time to time. Keep things moving now. Get some action on those projects which have heretofore been in the blueprint stage. Recent events or contacts may start a chain reaction of favorable developments. Let no idea of importance slip by you, but test it for practicality before acting on it.

3 If Neptune at your birth was in Cancer, don't try to force issues. Analyze the success methods of those older or wiser. Try these out and adapt them to your needs. Expend some effort in gaining more freedom from restrictions March 18 to May 4. Be matter-of-fact about relationships; let your head rule your heart.

Sentimentality is not a firm basis to build on. Your experience will fall into a far more harmonious pattern if you refrain from going to extremes of feeling. Following May 5 calls for discretion and care. Don't get involved in complications; steer clear of impulsive action, quarrelsomeness.

4 If Neptune at your birth was in Leo, spend time with friends and associates who stir you to be progressive. The right kind of companions will have a very definite beneficial effect on you from March 18 to May 4. All the major planets with the exception of transiting Neptune are beneficial in their angles to your Neptune now; you should, therefore, listen to your hunches and move ahead.

Transiting Neptune continues to square your Neptune and requires a practical foundation for all you undertake. Keep your thinking and purposes on a high plane; have nothing to apologize for.

5 If Neptune at your birth was in Aries, Mars is helpful to your Neptune until May 4. This makes you more receptive to inspiration and should provide you with some usable ideas to work on. You have the assistance of Uranus from Leo in getting on closer terms with those you care for. Resourcefulness will bring you nearer to your ultimate objectives.

6 If Neptune at your birth was in Virgo, Mars squares your Neptune from March 18 to May 4. Your desire at times is to flee from problems and vexations; but take a long look at this escapist urge before you act. Determine which of your apparent reasons are sound and which are mere excuses for evading unpleasantness. You are apt to be impatient about commercial deals or affairs which affect your business or community standing. The need is for care and painstaking thoroughness in these connections.

Uranus

The paragraph below which applies to you gives the planetary influences now at work on your Uranus, which relates especially to your originality, ego, genius, capacity to manifest these, self-expression. The "expressive genius" of the world, its creativeness, organizational ability — all are changing.

7 If Uranus at your birth was in Leo, with Mars helpful, changes and developments among your pals should be advantageous to you. It should be possible to attain some of the things you care about most if you are wide awake! You will get along better with people now and be especially resourceful in handling situations.

Transiting Mars, Jupiter and Saturn are friendly to your Uranus. You are, thus, encouraged to show that you can set the pace for others and step out in front. You should also find more effective means of self-expression. Neptune adverse to your Uranus calls for greater discrimination and discretion lest you jump to wrong conclusions or are "taken in."

7A If Uranus at your birth was in Virgo, Mars squares your Uranus during most of the current period. This tends to precipitate some alterations in your set-up. How projects turn out depends in great measure on your mental outlook. Therefore, be sure you are adaptable but not changeable. Be willing to cooperate with whatever good comes your way, even though it may not present itself in expected forms.

8 If Uranus at your birth was in Libra, explore new fields of thought; make plans from March 18 to May 18; try your hand at activities you have not attempted before. Bring to the fore the talents and skills you have allowed to lie dormant. Develop new facets of your nature. Beware, however, of straying too far from accepted lines of behavior.

9 If Uranus at your birth was in Scorpio, think carefully before you act from March 18 to May 4. Benefit through friends and well-wishers while Jupiter favors your Uranus. After May 5, be open to fresh impressions and ideas. Your mind will likely be more flexible than usual, more receptive to other ways of doing things. You will need to be a good disci-

plinarian now, in connection with your own emotions and urges, while Neptune is still conjunct your Uranus and transiting Uranus is squaring it.

You have to meet the hostility of Mars if you are negligent or careless relative to mutual money matters or assets. Shun disturbing developments. Make more rapid gains after May 5.

10 If Uranus at your birth was in Sagittarius, with Mars opposing from Gemini, you had best not let matters get discordant or out of hand.

Jupiter from Virgo will encourage optimism. Make certain it is based on fact, not fancy. Certain favors from fortune may come your way through the backing of Uranus from Leo. Turn your attention toward higher levels of idealism and creative thought. This should enable you to get all the profit possible from whatever comes your way.

11 If Uranus at your birth was in Capricorn, there are some cross-currents at work which warn against plunging. Untried ventures may promise big returns with little labor. However, with Saturn in the solar twelfth house of your Uranus map and Mars' opposition to your Uranus after May 5, go slow. Stick to the tried and true, avoiding risks. Straighten out holdover entanglements from the past. Be careful to keep both feet on the ground. Make certain your solutions are workable and fair to everyone concerned—including you.

12 If Uranus at your birth was in Aquarius, your opportunities for constructive action are increased during this cycle. You should be able to fit favorable or obstructive incidents into their proper places in the scheme of things. Make plans, decisions and appointments now. Mars and Saturn form helpful aspects during this span. Devote extra time to self-expressive activities. Take trips—

actual or mental—into abstract studies, such as philosophy and religion.

Transiting Uranus opposing your Uranus from Leo and Neptune squaring from Scorpio caution against any untimely shifts or changes. Examine your emotions and find out why you want to take certain steps. If you have an urge to break old bonds which have been valued heretofore, think well before you act. Decide whether you have sufficient reason to think this alteration will bring you added happiness.

13 If Uranus at your birth was in Pisces, soft pedal aggressive tendencies from March 18 to May 4. Take direction and follow orders willingly. At times, it may seem that whatever you do or say, you will hurt someone's feelings. Employ the tact you are gifted with and you can avoid giving serious offense.

With Mars square your Uranus to May 4, you may find the course you want to follow temporarily denied you. At times, this may seem due to the antagonism of other individuals. If this occurs, do not try to retaliate. There would be nothing but loss to you in allowing your own friendly attitude to be warped by the hostility of others. Keep hands off and things will work out in your favor following May 5. When you seem unable to make outward progress, devote yourself to correcting your own faults.

13A If Uranus at your birth was in Aries, an auspiciously placed Mars until May 4 lends force to an aggressive approach to projects. Your ability to

put into words what you think and feel is enhanced. Don't let things lag while this impetus lasts; get as much done as possible.

Mars squaring your Uranus after May 5 tends to impel you toward resentment in connection with some accepted standards. Restrain any action which would offend conventional persons. Transiting Mars in its challenge to your Uranus induces a rapid shift of events. You cannot count on carrying out many plans as originally conceived. Be alert enough to gain by changes. However, guard against letting anything turn you away from your objective and carry you off on a tangent.

14 If Uranus at your birth was in Cancer, you may be caught in a backwash of conflicting stimuli. Mars, until May 4, in the solar twelfth house of your Uranus chart tends to befuddle your thinking. Its mundane square to Jupiter requires a practical approach to situations. Protect yourself by refusing to move forward unless you see clearly where you are going.

Transiting Mars is in your Uranus-Sign after May 4, urging that you remain relaxed and free from strain. Know in broad outlines what you aim to accomplish. Then—so long as you are moving in the right direction—alter details as circumstances demand. Opposition will seem to crystallize if you try to batter it down. One sometimes gains most by giving in. Be willing to weigh good counsel; accept it when it offers a course better than yours.

h Saturn

The paragraph below which applies to you gives the influences now working on your Saturn and has special reference to the phases of your life that Saturn rules: your ambition, world position, capacity for hard work, health, ability to concentrate physical vitality usefully and progressively, security urge.

15 If Saturn at your birth was in Gemini, Mars is in your Saturn-Sign until May 4; Jupiter is squaring it, and transiting Saturn is opposing it. This lays on you the necessity of choosing your path carefully before you attempt to follow it. Learn whatever you need to know to strengthen your ability. By the twin lights of faith and knowledge, you may see

your way around barriers which would otherwise stop you. Restrain your impulse to rush ahead, however. Haste makes waste at this time.

16 If Saturn at your birth was in Cancer, you'll likely find your obligations taking a new direction. With Mars occupying this position after May 5, things

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will certainly not remain static. Unexpected occurrences may come to pass, interesting contacts impress you. New philosophies of life and living are apt to dislodge your settled habits of thought. Accept new conditions and ideas slowly so as not to be thrown off balance. Don't let yourself be rushed into anything; but don't balk when a change of ways is indicated.

17 If Saturn at your birth was in Leo, you should be active in pursuit of objectives now. Diplomacy will help you reach your goals. Tax your ingenuity to find ways and means of doing what you consider necessary without arousing opposition. Select intimates from among those who can advance you mentally or materially. Listen to their comments; do not hesitate to let them point the way if they are competent.

18 If Saturn at your birth was in Virgo, Mars is inimical to your Saturn during most of this period. Until May 5, you will need to be especially practical. Put aside air castles and face facts. Make careful arrangements before you take any steps and you will find that matters move more smoothly.

You should be better able to avoid mistakes because of past experience. Make a fresh start now; meet every test that confronts you. Procrastination and negligence can hold you back, but sincere effort makes progress possible. Rely on yourself and on reasoned conclusions. Know what you want to achieve, and why—and you will be inspired as to the "hows" and "whens" of the matter. Neptune aids you in finding ingenious ways to overtake your hopes and wishes. Permit friends to help you here.

19 If Saturn at your birth was in Libra, let no complexities develop to cause bewilderment. Have every transaction or agreement absolutely clear to everyone concerned. Rewrite clauses or terms in unmistakable language. Mars favors your Saturn to May 4; seek to get things accomplished then.

Mars in a square aspect after May 5 requires that you stop, look and listen in business deals. Handle elders and superiors with tact and understanding right

now. Be open to suggestions; but beware of adopting any method just because it is different. Consider every idea from the point of view of how you can use it.

20 If Saturn at your birth was in Scorpio, you have some minor support from Jupiter in Virgo. Cultivate the inner monitor; follow its promptings, supplementing this with experienced counsel. Mars, following May 5, favors organizing and systematizing projects and making practical plans and decisions.

21 If Saturn at your birth was in Sagittarius, transiting Uranus is congenial to your Saturn. This should open up an opportunity to move forward in those matters which interest you most. Uranus' trine makes it possible to turn the general trend of events to advantage, providing you keep well informed. Your thinking should be on a high level now. Transiting Saturn in your own Saturn-Sign stimulates idealism and requires that you stay down to earth. Prove your ideas are good by putting them to the test of working them out and adapting them to your needs.

Mars opposes your Saturn from March 18 to May 4. Be on the alert regarding legal matters, partnerships in either business or marriage, all commercial or professional affairs. Yield a point when differences arise, and keep matters peaceful. If you seem blocked in arranging things just the way you wish, have patience. This will bring matters your way more quickly than an aggressive or contentious manner.

22 If Saturn at your birth was in Capricorn, maintain your activities on a practical plane during this span. Keep your attention strictly on the tasks at hand; do them well, down to the smallest detail. You can never tell what insignificant item may be the key to something bigger and better. Jupiter adds its support, and the way to your goals should be fairly clear from March 18 to May 4. Make the most of this span!

23 If Saturn at your birth was in Aquarius, you'll have an active tempo from March 18 to May 4. You are also

likely to have a new slant on things and see possibilities you have overlooked heretofore. Any good suggestions which are not quite timely should be tucked away for use in the future. Transiting Saturn is still in opportune angle to your Saturn, seconded by the favor of Mars.

The square of Neptune inclines toward a blending of fancy and fact into one half-real world. Defer the launching of new projects; do not introduce drastic reforms without careful forethought. Transiting Uranus opposes your Saturn, making it necessary to be ready to take unexpectedness in your stride. Make revisions only when you can see clearly you are improving the situation.

24 If Saturn at your birth was in Pisces, you will likely have to account for some past omission. From March 18 to May 4, you may have to spend considerable time clearing up details. Whatever was not properly attended to is apt to require settlement now. Evaluate your course and determine whether you are aiming at the right objectives and using the best methods. If you feel your advancement has not been what it should be, consider better ways and means. However, be sure they are practical.

Neptune in Scorpio enables you to make good use of your ingenuity. You can overcome obstacles by opening up new opportunities. Do not follow too closely the patterns already set by others, since you may have even better ideas.

25 If Saturn at your birth was in Aries, Mars from Gemini encourages efficient mental and physical activity from March 18 to May 4. Uranus and Saturn trine your Saturn, encouraging you to make life more rewarding. Leave your worries at the office; go out more. However, be moderate. Work and job interests should still take priority; don't overdo convivial activities. On the home front, make no changes without good reason; employ tact and patience, especially after May 5, when Mars squares your Saturn.

26 If Saturn at your birth was in Taurus, transiting Jupiter sustains your Saturn, emphasizing your ability to utilize new and unusual ideas in some practical manner. This trend is backed also by the angles of transiting Mars to your own Saturn. Depend on past experiences to enable you to judge wisely and make the most of the present.

24 Jupiter

The paragraph below which applies to you gives the influences now at work on your Jupiter and refers especially to those phases of your life ruled by Jupiter: your response to opportunity and the things affected by it — money, material advancement, favor of superiors, high and secret ambitions, health, job.

27 If Jupiter at your birth was in Aries, transiting Mars sextiles your Jupiter; this helps you to make wise use of the chances which open up, especially from March 18 to May 4. Following May 5, Mars challenges your natal Jupiter, requiring that you soft pedal impulse and extravagance. You may have some very fine ideas, but a tendency toward over-optimism makes them all suspect until you have sounded them out. Give just as much attention to why you shouldn't do a thing as to why you should.

28 If Jupiter at your birth was in Taurus, Mars is congenial to your Jupiter. This spells encouragement for

more travel and mingling with various types of people. Press those acquaintanceships which can be of advantage to you. Discuss and exchange opinions; buy and sell; make gains. Uranus in Leo is square your Jupiter, making it necessary to handle business, political deals with care. Stay clear of legal entanglements.

29 If Jupiter at your birth was in Gemini, you can take active and positive forward steps along congenial lines. You should be able to find new outlets for your talents and make profitable contacts. Should you have a physical problem, you can deal with it successfully now. You can increase vitality in general.

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30 If Jupiter at your birth was in Cancer, opportunity will come knocking at your door at times now, while transiting Jupiter and Neptune are helpful. Strike out along fresh lines when the prospects seem promising. If you do intelligent spadework, you can move ahead toward achievement.

31 If Jupiter at your birth was in Leo, be wide awake to seize openings from March 18 to May 4. Mars (at this time) and Saturn (for the long pull) help you to make more of your opportunities than usual.

With Neptune squaring your Jupiter, however, all will not progress without difficulty. Therefore, do not be upset if you have a momentary down cycle. Before long, the wheel of events will bring you on top again. If you are persistent and clever at seizing and holding good breaks, you'll make steady progress.

32 If Jupiter at your birth was in Virgo, go slow and test each step before you take it. You can reap returns from past actions now. You may have to take account of these developments in connection with present plans. Discuss things with your elders and listen to them. Ask counsel from capable advisers. Rule out stubbornness. Practice economy.

33 If Jupiter at your birth was in Libra, you should be able to see some progress from March 18 to May 4, while Mars stirs constructive activity. Your Jupiter is, however, under a square of Mars following May 5. This projects an element of uncertainty into any ambitious undertaking. Therefore, if you attempt to expand either financially or in range of interests, hold on to your common sense and practicality. The current aspect of Mars gives you a clearer view of the path immediately ahead. But it cannot always reveal what turn events will take while Uranus stirs up changes. If you are sufficiently adaptable and capable, you can profit from this state of things from time to time.

34 If Jupiter at your birth was in Scorpio, transiting Jupiter is helpful and holds opportunities in store for

you. It intensifies your alertness and quick response to situations. Thus, you should be well able to deal with new or unexpected developments. Mars bolsters your Jupiter after May 5. Uranus is adverse and calls for tact and patience.

35 If Jupiter at your birth was in Sagittarius, Mars transits Gemini from March 18 to May 4. Saturn is in this sign during the present cycle. These caution you to double check the legal angles of family and business setups. Make sure that a flaw does not go undetected and cause trouble.

36 If Jupiter at your birth was in Capricorn, Neptune is helpful during this period. This should make it easier for you to contact people of importance in your scheme of things. Choose as companions those who rouse you to worthwhile thoughts and deeds. Go forward under their stimulus. Your judgment and courage may be challenged after May 5, when Mars opposes Jupiter. Outward circumstances may seem to push you into questionable positions. You will meet with persuasion and compulsion on the part of others. Be flexible and adaptable; but don't lower your standards, no matter what the temptation is.

37 If Jupiter at your birth was in Aquarius, you have long-term backing from Saturn in Sagittarius. Mars, from March 18 to May 4, seconds your constructive purposes. Bestir yourself to make definite gains during this opportune current cycle.

The unfavorable aspect of Neptune adds an element of possible deceit which you should be on guard against. Let no underhanded situation develop. With Uranus opposing, others may show inexplicable hostility toward you or your ideas, for no apparent reason. Plan carefully before you act. Be willing to pause and reconsider in the light of competent advice.

38 If Jupiter at your birth was in Pisces, Mars (until May 4) and transiting Jupiter are adverse. You may want to rush matters, to spend unwisely and to insist on your own way. Take account of this trend and step warily, dou-

ble checking your judgment all the way. Neptune trine your Jupiter enables you to open new avenues of advancement

when doors are closed to you. Make gains after May 5, when Mars supports your Jupiter.



Mars

The paragraph below which applies to you gives the influences at work on your Mars and has special reference to the phases of your life that Mars rules: your energy, aggressiveness, to some extent your earning power, ability to express yourself. In personal concerns, Mars has a decided bearing on love and passion.

39 If Mars at your birth was in Aries, the current Mars cycle helps to bring you extra activity. Deals of small moment and detail work that clutters your desk should be cleared up in short order. You should also get about more and see more people now.

After May 5, transiting Mars will be squaring your Mars, which accents the need for a levelheaded outlook. Many times, you will feel sure you can rely on your hunch (or someone else's); but don't try it. Only deliberate, reasoned action can insure you against confusion and complications. Keep matters calm around home and base of operations. Make sure that those you associate with have a thoughtful, balanced attitude toward life.

40 If Mars at your birth was in Taurus, keep busy from March 18 to May 4 with matters involving belongings and pecuniary items. Your ability to plan and decide wisely should be stimulated by the presence of Jupiter in Virgo. Make special efforts to cash in on new ideas or exceptional abilities. Get in touch with individuals who can open up avenues of interesting advancement to you. Neptune's opposition and Uranus' square to your Mars call for discretion, particularly about hasty or impulsive action.

41 If Mars at your birth was in Gemini, it now occupies its birth angle in your solarscope. This should give you a strong stimulus to hit a fast pace. Take time to know your endeavors are directed toward a right end, however. Just doing things is of no advantage unless you accomplish something by them.

The sextile of Uranus endows you with ingenuity, provided you reflect a bit. Your inner resources are stimulated by the continued benefic influence of this planet.

Saturn extends its disciplinary restraint over your affairs for a while. You may have to make allowances for added responsibilities, greater limitations. Let things move at a slower pace; don't wear yourself out getting nowhere. Gain ground through tactful handling of those around you, avoiding conflict.

42 If Mars at your birth was in Cancer, Jupiter's sextile to your Mars gives direction and scope to your activities. Your heart is apt to rule your head for this period. Neptune's continued trine to your Mars makes your emotions and feelings very sensitive.

43 If Mars at your birth was in Leo, your thinking processes will be quickened from March 18 to May 4. You then have the stimulation of transiting Mars from Gemini, added to the fact that Saturn is in a helpful angle to your Mars. Problems will present themselves; but you will discern how to handle them now. Speed up your program somewhat. However, Neptune is adverse; so be certain you are on the right track before proceeding.

With Uranus conjunct your natal Mars, changes are apt to come suddenly and without warning. Don't try to force things prematurely. Let them happen, adapt.

44 If Mars at your birth was in Virgo, it may appear that you are blocked at times. But lift your eyes to your ultimate goal and refrain from paying too much attention to the accomplishments for each day. Remain calm and pleasant to those around you.

From March 18 to May 4, transiting Mars is square your Mars from Gemini. This intensifies your urge to take risks.

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stars in the headlines

By Florence Anne Jensen

★ **corg baird**

Millions of you who have television sets were introduced long ago to those extraordinary puppets, Snarky Parker, J.P., The Spider Lady, Groovy, Bubbles La Rue, Clyde and Mirabelle—the Baird family, who appear time and again on the big networks and on all the more important programs, especially the spectaculars. Cora and Bil Baird have hundreds of marionettes on their call list, but these are their more important stars.

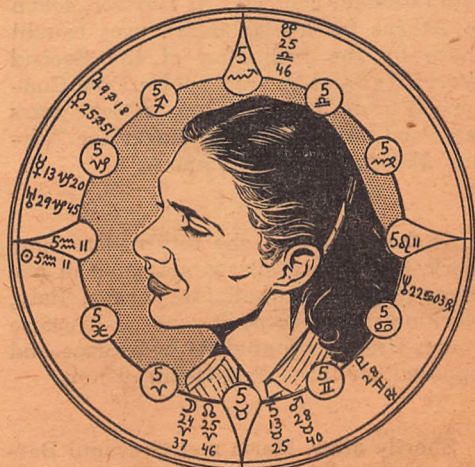
Back in 1936, Orson Welles produced Marlowe's "Dr. Faustus," commissioning Bil Baird to make puppets to represent the seven deadly sins. Cora was the voice and Bil the designer. These young people soon found their professional interests in complete agreement; they fell in love and married in 1937. For twenty years, all the characters in their puppet world have been their joint creations. Cora Baird, with her Moon in Aries trine Venus in Sagittarius, must supply many ideas and add enthusiasm to their mutual projects.

Cora, a New Yorker, started in the theater after graduation from college, with Eva Le Gallienne's Repertory Theatre and the Neighborhood Playhouse. After her marriage, most of her acting was behind the scenes as voices for her amusing friends. Mercury in the same sign as Uranus, which is trine Mars, would give Cora voice facility, with a range of tones above normal.

Every now and then, the Bairds take television viewers on a visit to their old carriage house, "Fire Horse Manor," on the Hudson River, to glimpse a colorful array of heads, arms, legs, etc., that will eventually become new characters in their repertoire. Until each has gained the right character in the minds of the Bairds, no puppet makes a debut; sometimes this takes years.

Television is not the only medium employed by this famous couple. They appear, especially for the big holiday shows, at Radio City Music Hall, at night clubs and in legitimate theaters. The marionettes act in educational motion pictures for large organizations. In many instances, Cora finds a hit record, building an entire production around it; even full-length ballets are assigned to these clever dolls. They are unlike most of their colleagues in the make-believe world, who, for the most part, consist of wood, wire and cloth. The Bairds sometimes use beer steins, pepper and salt shakers, pin cushions, mops and every conceivable type of material they can get their hands on.

Cora relates "Bil fell into this work because it combined all the things he liked—sculpture, dance, music, painting and theater" (his date—August 15, 1904). Cora's chart fits this creative pattern neatly. Their three-year-old adopted son, Peter, has the time of his life in their studio-home, with plenty of toys to delight his heart all day long.



january 26, 1912

★ **maria callas**

Today's sensation of the opera, Maria Callas, a Sagittarian "ball of fire," is causing no small furore in artistic circles. Few people think her voice ideal, but everyone admits her extraordinary ability to carry the inflections and shadings of emotions from vibrant intensity to tones of sweet delicacy. Her fans are hypnotized by her variations in emotional phrases, by her wildly flashing eyes and her constant motion, which is histrionic in effect but beautifully graceful.

Maria—born with the Greek name of Kalogeropoulos, in New York City—had a most unhappy childhood. Her father, who once was a successful pharmacist in Greece, made a poor living in this country. Maria believes that her mother favored her more attractive sister and made her feel inferior. Consequently, the psychological effect on Maria led to compulsive eating habits (she thought nothing of eating a pound of cheese for breakfast) which resulted in her weighing two hundred pounds when in her early teens.

At eight, with transiting Uranus in her solar fifth house filling out her Mercury-Neptune trine, Maria's mother discovered that her daughter had a good voice; she arranged for lessons and entered her in radio amateur contests. At fourteen, taken to Athens for a visit, Maria was caught there by the beginning of the Second World War and entered the National Conservatory on a scholarship. A few years later she became leading singer for Athens' National Opera Company.

At the war's end, she returned to New York, had several disappointments in her career; so she set sail for Verona, Italy, working for \$63 a performance. In these years, Uranus squared its own place and opposed her three Sagittarian planets.

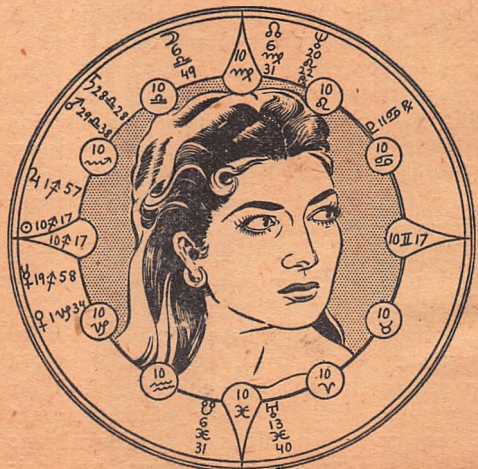
Shortly after, Maria met Giovanni Battista Meneghini, a millionaire builder more than twice her age, whom she married in

1949. Her husband, believing in her, hired Tullio Serafin to coach her. Serafin, tops in his field, whipped her through one role after another for opera appearances all over Italy and several tours of Latin America.

Finally, La Scala Opera asked her to join them, the highlight of her life up to that moment. With this triumph, Maria began to lose weight, slimming down from 202 to 135 pounds. In 1951, Saturn squared her Venus, ruler of her Moon-Sign and then passed over her three Libra planets; a Saturn cycle also began.

Maria Callas can sing anything written for a female voice—soprano, mezzosoprano, contralto—ignoring any boundaries between them. The oldtimers could negotiate these changes; but before Callas came along, no modern diva has been able to carry them off. Her reception at the Met in New York was wildly enthusiastic for Mad Lucy in "Lucia di Lammermoor."

When Maria Callas comes down with an irritated throat, the box office is swamped with requests for refunds. Her devotees are a fast-growing legion, welcoming Callas home at last.



dec. 3, 1923

★ dag hammarskjold

With the United Nations so prominent in the news, trying for settlements of disputes in Suez and Hungary, the UN's Secretary General is very much the man of the hour. President Eisenhower paid him a rare tribute when he said in part, "The man's abilities have not only been proven, but also the physical stamina—demonstrated by this man who night after night has gone with only one or two hours' sleep, working all day, working intelligently and devotedly."

To add to this, both West Germany and Norway came forth with the suggestion that Dag Hammarskjold be given the Nobel Peace Prize. For the type of position Mr. Hammarskjold holds, it is good to see a heavily aspected Saturn, the Sun good to Jupiter and the Moon and the much respected aspect of Mars in Scorpio widely trine Neptune in Cancer.

Dag Hammarskjold, Swedish by birth, educated as a lawyer, trained in financial and economic affairs, descends from a family of statesmen and military men, dating back to Swedish knight Peder Hammarskjold, who was given his title by

Charles IX in 1610 for his defense against the Danes. Dag Hammarskjold's father was Prime Minister of Sweden during World War I.

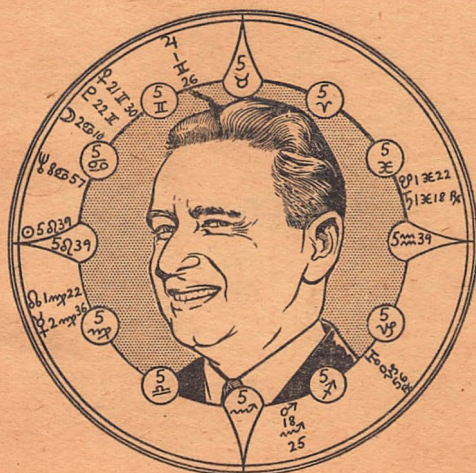
Before coming to the United Nations, Mr. Hammarskjold was Secretary of the Swedish Government, associate professor of political economics at the University of Stockholm, under-secretary of the Department of Finance of the Swedish Government, member of its advisory board—similar to a position on our President's advisory committee.

Prior to holding Secretary Generalship in the UN, Dag Hammarskjold came to the United States as vice-chairman of the Swedish delegation to the UN General Assembly. For two years, there was much discussion about a successor to Trygve Lie. Mr. Hammarskjold was considered about the darkest of the dark horses for the job; but he was elected on April 7, 1953, by vote of 57 of the 60 member states of the General Assembly.

Dag Hammarskjold is considered by his associates as "devastatingly impersonal," denoted more by his Mercury, Mars and Jupiter than his Sun or Moon. He has done many things which necessarily had to be publicized, which he abhors; but his greatest accomplishments are made within hundreds of quiet sessions on the 38th floor of the United Nations Building on New York's East River.

Mr. Hammarskjold sparked the UN police force idea, which will probably be one of the brightest stars in his crown in the course of history. It may mean the police force will strengthen and become the backbone that the UN needs so badly.

As Secretary General of the United Nations until 1958, Dag Hammarskjold has to work with limited powers; but he is a man of great courage and, as he states, "with a belief that no life is more satisfying than one of selfless service to one's country or humanity."



july 29, 1905

★ **robert montgomery**

Starting as a bit player on the legitimate stage at twenty-one, Robert Montgomery has been an actor, director and producer in the theater, in films and on television over a thirty-year period. An elevated Saturn square the Sun and Mercury, opposition the Moon, with sextiles to Jupiter and Uranus, is willing to work against odds; and Mr. Montgomery has had a few to face.

Until Robert was sixteen, his life was one of ease as a growing youngster in Beacon, New York, where he had the typical suburban upbringing, with private tutors, prep schools, trips to Europe, et al. But then his father's death abruptly changed his secure existence. Bob had to give up his education, first to work as a mechanic for a railroad, then as an oiler on a tanker. Later, he went to live in New York's Greenwich Village, planning to be a writer; but he turned to acting instead.

In 1929, as Jupiter joined his Sun and Neptune squared it, Mr. Montgomery began a successful eight-year period playing juvenile leads for motion pictures until he cast his eyes on a script for "Night Must Fall" (1937—Uranus in Taurus), first of the psychological dramas to come out of Hollywood. The reviewers saw Robert Montgomery in a new light; from then on, he was recognized for his unusual roles. When Uranus reached his Sun exactly, he appeared in "Here Comes Mr. Jordan," the delightful forerunner of motion picture fantasies.

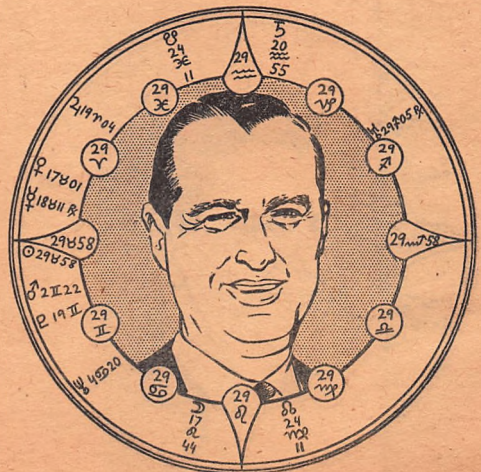
Upon our entrance into the war, Robert Montgomery enlisted in the Navy (Saturn joined Uranus on his Sun). He served on destroyers hunting submarines, commanded P T boats, saw action at Guadalcanal and the Marshall Islands. On D Day, he was on the first destroyer to enter Cherbourg harbor at the invasion of Normandy. On his return home, he was ill for quite a

while, with repeated attacks of tropical fever.

For years, Robert Montgomery worked doggedly to get the Screen Actors' Guild firmly on its feet. He has been one of its most active crusaders. He also has been its president four times. Emphasis of five planets in fixed signs, with the lights as part of the pattern, gives determination plus stamina.

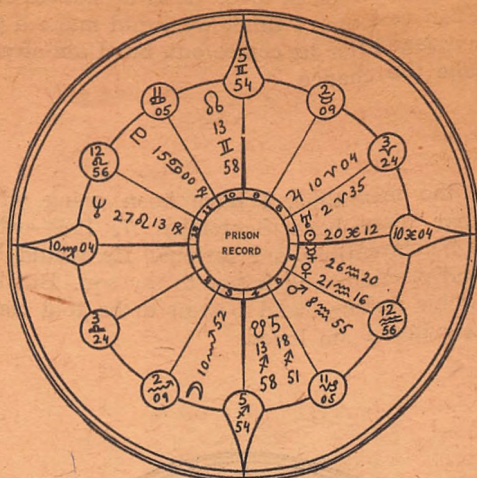
Mr. Montgomery was married to Elizabeth Allen Montgomery on April 14, 1928; they have two children, Elizabeth—who appears on some of her father's television shows, "Robert Montgomery Presents"—and Robert, Jr.

Mr. Montgomery is busiest on the legitimate stage and TV but also is on the White House staff as consultant for President Eisenhower's television, radio and newsreel appearances. He does not coach the President, as is erroneously reported, but he helps him project his personality and thoughts naturally. Bob Montgomery says, "President Eisenhower's wisdom, ability and genuine modesty are immediately apparent even if you spend only five minutes with him. It is important that these qualities are shown to the public who have elected him."



may 21, 1904

ASTROLOGY AT WORK



WILL A PRISON RECORD BAR HAPPINESS?

HOROSCOPE, Experience Department: I am at a crossroads in my life and hope you can help me, as you have helped so many others. I was born March 10, 1928, between 5:00 and 6:00 P.M.

I married a man born June 10, 1927; but our marriage never worked. I am a diabetic and have been since childhood. This made my parents watch over me too closely so that I never had a chance really to grow up emotionally.

My husband and I have one child, a boy—born September 6, 1950, between noon and 1:00 P.M., by forced labor.

Shortly after my divorce, I met a man born December 31, 1920. He has been married and divorced twice. There was a strong attraction between us from the first; he made me laugh and feel happy and wanted again. He showed me attentions no man ever had.

Then I discovered he was an alcoholic, and I was afraid to go ahead and marry him. The next thing I knew, he had passed bad checks for large amounts and is now serving time.

Your chart has been erected for 5:30 P.M., the midpoint between the hours you gave me. I believe this is fairly close, as it gives an ascendant in Virgo. Diabetes is a Virgo, and seventh-house, disease.

At 10 years of age, Neptune had crossed your ascendant by transit and was being opposed by Saturn, in your seventh house, in close transiting conjunction with your Sun.

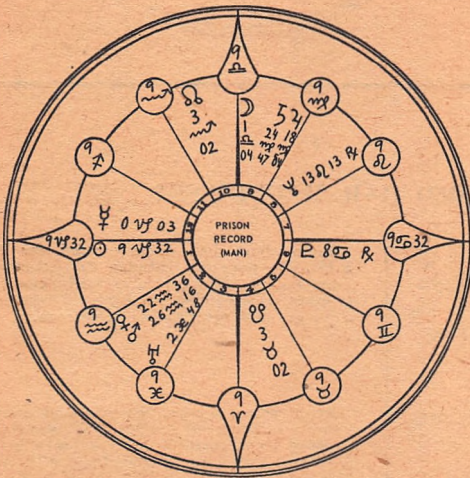
With Pisces, the sign of sorrow, on the cusp of your house of marriage, you would always run the danger of unhappiness in marriage—unless you married under exactly the right aspects.

You are certainly wide open to deception in any kind of romance. The case of the man born December 31, 1920, proves it. With his Mars over your Venus and his Uranus in the same sign as your Sun, there was an instant attraction, but by no means a trustworthy one.

With his natal Moon square the Sun, I doubt if he would ever adjust to marriage. He uses heavy drinking as an escape mechanism. This time, it got him in real trouble; with his progressed Mars now opposite his natal Saturn, he won't get out of it in a hurry.

I have corresponded with him and find that we are very much in love. He is as starved for affection as I am. I think we could make a go of marriage after he comes out, but I am afraid to take the chance.

In the meantime, I have been going with another man—born September 7, 1928—who says his intentions are serious. He would be a good provider and father to my son. But he hides his feelings, and I want to be told constantly that I am loved.



Do you think a marriage to the Capricorn man would be advisable, or should I wait and maybe someday find someone who will give me what I want? Much as I love him, I am afraid to trust him too far.

It is perfectly natural for a Pisces woman to want to be assured constantly of a man's love for her. It stems from a certain feeling of insecurity which goes with this sign. But, my dear child, it is also important to learn to judge people by what they do, as well as by what they say.

The man born September 7, 1928, is a native of Virgo. He cannot express himself as freely as the other man, but his actions show that he does care and that he would give you the background of material security which you need.

As for the other man, take at least a two-year period after he is free in order to find out whether or not he has learned his lesson and can become a dependable citizen. There is no reason for you to marry him if you have the slightest doubts of the outcome in your mind. With his record, the chances are that he would revert to drinking, which again would get him into trouble.

Wait a while longer, if you can, before marrying anyone. Astrologically, the time may not come before the end of 1958, when Jupiter in Scorpio will favor your natal Sun.

CAUSE OF HER OWN MISFORTUNES

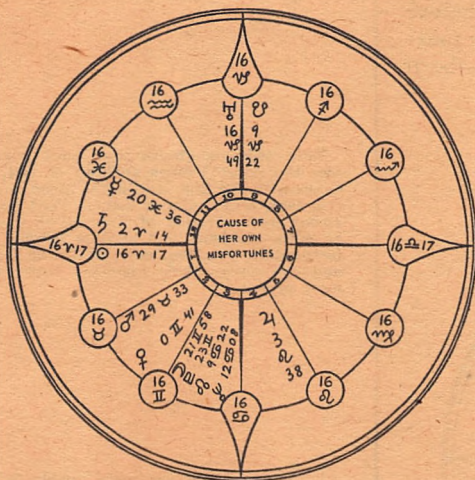
HOROSCOPE, Experience Department: Your magazine has proved interesting and beneficial, but now I begin to wonder whether even Astrology can help me. Much of my unhappiness and disappointment has been brought about by my own poor judgment, wrong decisions, etc.—but not all!

Not all of your troubles were caused by your bad judgment. You were born with a very difficult planetary pattern, an almost exact T-square in cardinal signs.

I was born April 6, 1908, time unknown. My present husband was born November 17, 1900. I have a daughter by my previous marriage—born July 26, 1927; her husband—November 14, 1922.

My first marriage ended after a year and three months. I raised my daughter alone until she was 14, then married my present husband. It is not an ideal marriage. I gave up a half interest in a thriving business, desiring to be a full-time wife. Three weeks later, my husband had pneumonia. His recovery was slow, and I had to find employment.

By 1949, I was in a sanitarium with tuberculosis. After a year of rest and surgery, I came home to find myself unable to adjust to the life I found.



My husband changed greatly, drifting from one job to another and drinking too much. Then my daughter began having trouble. Her husband was unfaithful to her, but they were reconciled and had more children. But she is not well, and I am torn between my desire to take care of her and my duty to an unappreciative husband.

My own medical history makes me feel it might prove too much if I attempted to care for my grandchildren. What course does Astrology suggest?

With your Aries Sun, you always had courage and that indomitable spirit which helped you to carry on alone. When you married your second husband, the planet Neptune had entered Libra, to oppose your Sun and square your natal Uranus and Neptune. This filled out the other side of the square in your natal chart.

For 14 years, Neptune, then Saturn, transited in opposition to your Sun-Sign. Your judgment could not have been of the best under such circumstances; of course, your health was seriously depleted.

You have the natal Moon in Gemini afflicted by Mercury, ruler of your Moon-Sign. Gemini is always associated with lung trouble. From 1947 on, transiting Uranus was in Gemini, accenting your basic weakness. That brought about your breakdown and the need of going to a sanitarium.

Unfortunately, there are few favorable contacts between your husband's chart and your own. His Venus is exactly opposite your natal Sun, and obviously he was to prove more of a liability than a help in your life. It is hard to see how you could have attracted the right partner over that long transit of deceptive Neptune opposing your sign.

I am glad to report that your future outlook does appear brighter, at least for 1957. The adverse influence of Neptune is lifted for a while and is replaced by the new and invigorating influence of Uranus in Leo. This planet will help you and your daughter more than it helps your respective husbands. Uranus always brings the new, and as it passes back and forth over your daughter's Sun and your own natal Jupiter, the changes will all be for the better.

By June of 1957, you will be over the hump and looking forward to a much better and brighter life. But you cannot afford to court overfatigue by taking over the care of your grandchildren. You need to build up your own resistance while things favor you in 1957. Otherwise, when transiting Saturn opposes your Moon in late 1957 and early 1958, you might have a return of lung trouble.

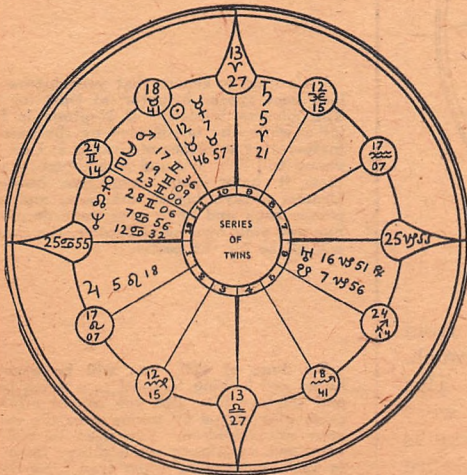
So follow routine; have faith; and don't let your impatient nature rush you into any more mistakes. All you need is time and patience.

SERIES OF TWINS

HOROSCOPE, Experience Department: I was born May 3, 1908, between 9:00 A.M. and noon. At 22, I married a man much older than I—born April 15, 1893. We have always been completely devoted, but he became totally disabled in 1954 and I also lost my job; so we had a hard time financially.

We have five living children, the oldest daughter having been born October 23, 1931, about 5:15 A.M. Then we had twin sons, born dead on August 21, 1932.

Five years later, we had another set of twins, boys—one born October 29, 1937, just before midnight; the other, October 30, just after midnight. Finally, we had twin daughters—born April 21, 1941, near 1:00 A.M.



What does the future hold for me? Will my husband ever be well enough to come home to us again? I am more concerned for him than for anyone.

It is not often that we have such a record of twins in this column! But it did help in getting a closer approximation of your birth time. Your chart has been tentatively erected for 10:30 A.M., which gives the true mother sign of Cancer rising on the horizon as your ascendant. This places Scorpio on the house of children, with Mars and Pluto—both its rulers—in the double-bodied sign of Gemini. To cap the climax, the Moon—ruler of your ascendant—is also in Gemini; so it is small wonder that you produced so many twins.

The twins who were born dead had a sad planetary pattern—a T-square in cardinal signs, with the Moon square Saturn, the death planet. Your second set of twins had more favorable charts. At least, the Moon was trine Jupiter; though because of the Saturn-Neptune opposition, I am sure you had trouble in raising them.

Your twin daughters were born just before the great Taurus stellium of 1941, but again with the Sun sextile the Moon and, in this case, also conjunct Venus. With such a strong concentration of Taurus, they must be quite obstinate and hard to handle! But fortunately, you, too, are a native of Taurus and can gauge their reactions better than most people.

I am sorry that you were unable to give me your husband's time of birth, on which a far more valid chart is erected. From your letter, I gather he is in a veterans' hospital; for the time being, it is much better that he remain there. Saturn's transit in Sagittarius, opposite all his Gemini planets, is not a favorable health outlook, especially over any winter months.

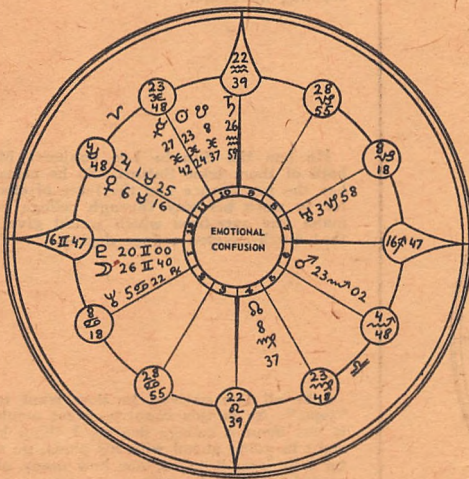
But it is a bare possibility that in the summer of 1957, when the harshness of Saturn's transit is mitigated by the good aspects of Jupiter, he may be well enough to come home for a while. But plan your own life so as not to carry too heavy a load in the meantime.

EMOTIONAL CONFUSION

HOROSCOPE, Experience Department: I am muddled, confused, and keep dreaming of the future that I want, yet despairing at every turn. I was born March 14, 1905, some time between 8:30 A.M. and 4:00 P.M., though I think it was nearer noon.

I married my present husband on the rebound and have never loved him. He was born either March 16 or 28, 1900. But the years have mellowed both of us, and we get along fairly satisfactorily.

In 1950, I really fell in love, for the first time in my life—with a man born May 10, 1909. He is married to a childless woman born September 22, 1905.



We were madly in love and could not believe our good fortune in finding each other. His wife and my husband both know about it, and both of them go along with us—except as to giving us the divorces we need.

His wife tried to hold onto him and has always told him I would not be good for him. For a while, she succeeded in turning him against me; and he started going with another woman, younger than I. My heart was broken for a time; but just recently, he came back into my life and we find we are more in love than ever.

Your chart has been tentatively set for 10:34 A.M., EST, as it appears to fit the pattern of your life as you have written it.

With Saturn in the tenth house, it was natural that you would have lost one of your parents early in life. With Uranus in your marriage house, It would also follow that you would have married on the spur of the moment, without thinking things through.

Then, in 1950, when transiting Uranus had opposed its own place and passed over your natal Neptune, you met and fell in love with a man; that love immediately posed a threat to your marriage. Your progressed Sun had also reached the degree of your Venus then, so some sort of romance was inevitable. Maybe you could not avoid having your emotions swept away, but you are responsible as to whether or not you will permit your feelings to break up your home life and cause unhappiness to others.

There are certain favorable aspects between this man's chart and your own: his Pluto over your Moon, his Sun so near your own Venus.

But his Mars over your Saturn would not bring you happiness in the long run. Whether you realized it or not, you would end by destroying each other, as is always the case when the two "death" planets are conjoined in comparing two charts.

Start thinking logically, instead of with your emotions. Let that good aspect in your own chart between the Moon and Saturn be the dominant force in your life, rather than yield to the emotional weakness indicated by your Pisces Sun and Mercury square your Moon and Pluto.

I love him with all my heart, but my religion forbids divorce. I have my husband and children to think about. My husband suffered an injury at work and since then has complained constantly. I do not know whether there is a real cause for this or whether he is just seeking sympathy.

Should I go ahead with a divorce, marry this man whom I know God meant for me to have or put the whole thing behind me? If so, is there any other outlet for me? Can I write, or do anything with my music?

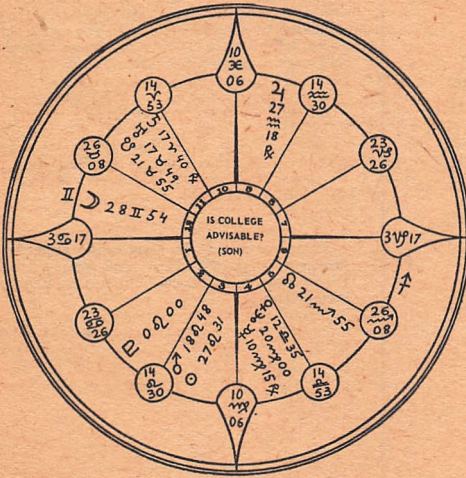
Think what you would give up in such a divorce: your religion, your children, the good opinion of your friends and community while instead you would have to put up with a certain amount of isolation which society always inflicts upon individuals who flaunt convention. As a Pisces person, you need plenty of outside contacts; you might soon tire of love for love's sake in everyday living with this man.

I do think you can fill the void in your life with something constructive. Your chart shows talent both for music and writing. Probably with your Pisces Sun more elevated than your Gemini Moon, you would be more successful in music. Give it a try.

IS COLLEGE ADVISABLE?

HOROSCOPE, *Experience Department*: I have a son, now in his senior year at high school. I would like to know whether he has what it takes to go to college and justify the sacrifices this will entail.

When your son was born, daylight saving time was operative in that locality; so I have made the necessary adjustment in erecting his chart.



He has the Sun in Leo conjunct Mars, both of them trine Saturn. So he certainly has the persistence and the force of character to work his way through college or to make any sacrifices which would give him that much-coveted college degree.

Like all Leo natives, he does want to be "tops." As in this country, great emphasis is put upon a college degree, I think he is right in going ahead with his plans, no matter how long it takes, nor how many unexpected setbacks he may encounter.

He was born August 21, 1938, at 1:47 A.M. Since he was six years old, I have been the sole support of the family; so our financial situation is not too bright. But he has worked part time, after school hours, ever since he was 12 and is now saving money in the hopes of going to college.

I have been told by his teachers that he has a high I.Q., and he used to be an honor student. But for the past two years, he has not been able to make the grade.

There will be some of these, since Uranus, planet of the unexpected, is in adverse aspect to his Sun and Mars.

An Astrologer is always delighted to have the opportunity of advising a young person rather than trying to correct mistakes after they have been made. His outstanding talent is for law, with Jupiter in his ninth house. I think that should be his long-range goal, even though it means a hard pull.

Does his horoscope show in any way what he is best suited for and what courses he should take? He is a good orator and has always been interested in law, radio and television work, journalism and business administration.

Your advice would be very much appreciated.

But remembering those unexpected upsets which Uranus can bring, has it occurred to you that all his plans might be changed because of the necessity for time spent in the armed forces? Nor should he try to avoid this in any way because through his service time, he will get unusual educational opportunities. He can certainly have training in radio, which would give him a trade, and, later, go on to study law.

With Jupiter in Aquarius in his ninth house, he could work up to being a corporation lawyer for one of the big radio or television companies and combine two of his chief interests.

LOSS OF AN EYE

HOROSCOPE, Experience Department: Being an avid fan of **HOROSCOPE**, I hope you can help me with my problems.

I was born May 11, 1936, at 11:45 P.M. My husband was born November 6, 1930, at 4:00 P.M. We have two children: a girl, born November 24, 1953, at 9:37 P.M.; a boy, born October 13, 1954, at 3:33 A.M.

Our married life has been hectic and trouble filled. We almost lost our boy 10 days after birth due to an infection on his back, the cause of which no one knows. I've had some female trouble, but am now expecting another baby. I hope everything will come out all right.

The most tragic occurrence was that to our little girl. On February 15, 1956, she lost her left eye in an accident about 3:00 P.M. Could you tell me anything about her future? Will she be able to take life as it is or will she be handicapped because of the accident?

I can well imagine that you and your husband had a very troubled two years, when transiting Saturn was in Scorpio, opposing your Sun-Sign and passing through his, to bring both of you frustrations and difficulties. Fortunately, that time is over now.

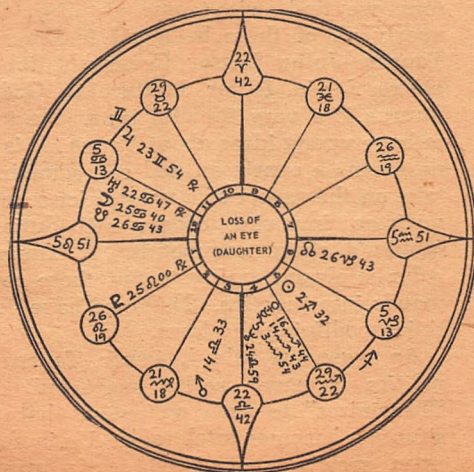
By the time this is in print, your third baby will have arrived. With Jupiter in good aspect to your Sun, in November of 1956, you should have come through very nicely; but you should take very good care of yourself for at least a year after this birth.

Your son was born right after a conjunction of Jupiter and Uranus, both opposed by Mars and squared by Neptune, the planet of infection. This caused his trouble. With Pluto in Leo, sign that rules the back, square his Venus, ruler of his Sun-Sign, the infection came out there. Very fortunately, his Venus was also trine his Jupiter; that saved him.

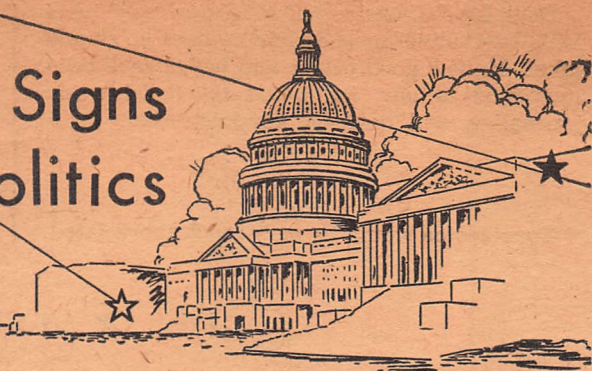
It is true that the loss of an eye is a terrible tragedy. Your little girl was born with the same longitude on the ascendant as that of one of the fixed stars, the Ascelli, which has a great influence on eyesight. So she was, let us say, vulnerable to this sort of accident from the start.

On the day of the accident, there was an opposition in space between Mercury and Uranus, which lay right across the horizon when the accident occurred. The transiting Sun was opposite her natal Pluto, while transiting Saturn was right over her natal Sun. All these aspects showed that she was certainly going through a critical time; actually, it was fortunate that her life was spared.

The Moon was not in a fixed sign, so the damage will not be too great a hardship. Of course, it will be a handicap; but with her natal Jupiter trine Neptune and sextile Pluto, friends will be very kind to her; she will be aided in her education; eventually, the creative powers of her fifth-house Sagittarian Sun will find their outlet through writing. In spite of her affliction, she will find her right niche in life.



The Twelve Signs Go In For Politics



By W. P. Witcutt

ARIES

Aries is the sign of movement; thus, the successes of an Aries politician, like those of an Aries general, depend on rapid movement and accurate timing. As a statesman, the work of Aries endures because his mind is always conformed to the changing realities, his limitation being that he is helpless when he has to fight ideas. This is why Bismarck, otherwise so successful, came unstuck when he fought the Catholics in the "Kulturkampf." Even when engaged in "realpolitik," however, Aries is a transparently honest creature. Charlemagne was always amazed to discover that men lied. Bismarck possessed an amazing frankness and used it as a political weapon. He was so honest about his intentions that Napoleon III thought him mad.

The chief weapon of Aries is his ability to move twice as fast as other people. This always comes out in Aries generals. They hit you before you expect it, then hit you again before you have recovered. This was the case with the Emperor Julian, Charlemagne (whose strategy Napoleon studied) and with Henry II. All these had the capacity of hitting an enemy when he thought they were a hundred miles away.

THE ARIES STATESMAN HAS THIS SAME CAPACITY for rapid movement. Thiers was "impetuous, hasty and too daring," "a man of wild plunges." But it was his swift action which put King Louis Philippe on the

throne. The unfortunate Napoleon III was a cusp type, born on the borders of Aries and Taurus. When he should have moved rapidly, he showed Taurean caution; when he should have been cautious, he demonstrated the impetuosity of Aries!

The greatest drawback of Aries as a statesman is the curious fragility which this military type shows. He is so impetuous, so intent upon rushing forward that he can easily shatter himself in the process. Canning had exhausted himself when he reached the premiership, and he died. Julian shattered himself in his mad rush into Persia. Aries should remember that caution is sometimes necessary.

TAURUS

When we run through the list of dictators, we find, with some surprise, that nearly all of them belonged to the sign Taurus—Julius Caesar, Cromwell, Robespierre, Lenin, Hitler, Metternich, Godoy. Taurus is a very forceful type. We tend to have wrong ideas about Venus. It is by no means a courtesan and can sometimes take on the aspect of a very strict schoolmistress, imposing orders and duties—Mother's sharp commands. A Taurean ruler is always trying to put these commands into practice. Thus, we have Justinian codifying the laws.

As a general rule, however, Taurus in politics is never really successful. He "Taurinizes" to such an extent that the situation becomes intolerable. He imposes upon society a straitjacket of Taurean

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morality, an idealistic structure of one kind or another. The systems of Cromwell, Robespierre, Metternich, Lenin and Hitler did not survive, but had to be taken to pieces by their successors. There always arises a king who knew not Joseph—a Charles II, a Napoleon, a Stalin, whose purpose is to liquidate the inheritance of Taurus. The reason is that Taurus is not a rational type at all. He uses for the purpose of his dictatorship an intellectual scheme borrowed from others to which he gives all the force of his emotion; he gives us principles treated as emotions.

TAURUS OBTAINS POWER PARTLY BECAUSE of his emotional capacity—the emotional power which bound his legions to Caesar, his Ironsides to Cromwell, the Queen of Spain to Godoy—partly because of his capacity to inflict slow sledge hammer blows. Once put in power, he tends to think of himself as a kind of apostle—"the Messiah of moral order," as Metternich called himself.

When Taurus begins to think of himself as the Messiah of moral order, he is done for. He can never learn that one rules not by a heavy hand, but (as Napoleon said) through the imagination. He is a materialist and he enforces his principles in a material way, with Cromwell's major generals, Robespierre's guillotine, Hitler's tanks. Taurus would be well advised to leave politics alone and stick to business, which is his proper sphere.

The most successful Taurean rulers have been women. Maria Theresa was Venus of the iron hand in Austria; Catherine II ruled Russia like a stern schoolmistress; Catherine de Médici of France plotted and murdered strictly for family reasons, and she was successful for thirty years.

GEMINI

For a really unscrupulous, scheming intriguer, one cannot beat Gemini. A cuspal type like Fouché, the destroyer of Robespierre and the man Napoleon feared, who combined Taurean principles with the Geminian capacity for intrigue, is a dangerous man indeed. The pure Geminian, however, when he goes in for politics, is dangerous enough. The indolent Charles II of England laid a trap for and brought

down that really formidable Leonian Shaftesbury, and it needs a clever man to lay a lion trap successfully. He used the same methods of trickery and illusion which Marlborough used to bedazzle his enemies before battle. When facing a Geminian politician or general, one should beware of his capacity for trickery and illusion.

GEMINI IS THE REAL HOLLOW MAN. EITHER there is little to him save this native shrewdness and trickiness, or else some spirit or demon blows through him; then he becomes a kind of prophet, like Wesley or Whitman or Brigham Young. Peter the Great of Russia was a political prophet, a craftsman who formed Russia with huge rough blows. Beware of Gemini in the marketplace; but in the woods, with his axe, he is seen at his best.

Gemini is good as a craftsman, fine at teaching the young; in business or in politics, one must beware of his subtle, scheming mind. It is when a demon takes possession of him that he is most dangerous. Oppose Gemini then, and there is not much chance for you.

CANCER

Cancer is the maternal type; and when he goes in for politics, you will notice one thing about him—what he does is always permanent. Cancer can make revolutions stick. He can bring nations to birth and his offspring live, as Robert Bruce brought Scotland to birth or Garibaldi brought Italy. When he is in charge of a revolution—like Augustus in Rome, Henry VIII in England, Calvin, the French Louis XI (who destroyed the feudal power), Rousseau—you can be sure that there will be no successful turning back. He is described as a materialistic mystic, a practical visionary.

Cancer is the successful revolutionary, but he never thinks he is accomplishing a revolution—he fancies that he is restoring the old order of things. Augustus imagined that he was restoring the Roman Republic, Calvin that he was restoring primitive Christianity, Rousseau that he was teaching men to return to the Golden Age.

CANCER HATES WAR. ALL THE SAME, HIS

enemies have a peculiar habit of biting the dust. James I is the British king most jeered at and laughed at by historians; but not one of James' enemies survived. In his time, there was no war. Louis XI brought down the great feudal state of Burgundy without engaging in open war. Augustus fought with ferocity and vindictiveness to avenge the murder of his kinsman, Julius Caesar—Cancer is a strong family man—but when he had won, they shut the doors of the temple of Janus to show that there would be no more war.

One reason Cancer manages to succeed so well is his habit of knowing everything that goes on. Louis XI's spy system was perfect.

LEO

It is said that Leo is the natural ruler. The reason seems to be that Leo is the most thoroughly pleasure-seeking of all the twelve tribes—and the exercise of power is one of his chief pleasures. Leo rules because he finds it great fun. He is a simple-minded creature (Napoleon's simplicity always struck observers) for this very reason. His one object in life, however much he may try to disguise it, is to have fun or enjoy the world.

Ruling men is a supreme pleasure, and Leo knows exactly how to do it. It comes naturally to him. Napoleon gave the formula—to rule men through their imaginations. Leo's imagination is his strongest point, and he rules by getting other people to share in his imaginings. Of course, he needs a certain amount of practical ability. Shelley possessed a marvelous imagination but no practical ability; hence, outside the realm of poetry, he never came to anything. Napoleon possessed a poet's imagination plus a mathematician's brain, with the result that all Europe had to share in his imaginings for nearly two decades. Similarly, Bolívar forced the whole of South America to imagine with him.

THE DANGER TO LEO ARISES WHEN HIS imagination parts company with reality. Napoleon passed the turning point when he invaded Russia. Take the case of Buckingham, the real ruler of England in the latter part of James I's reign and the early part of that of Charles I. He forced the

king and even Parliament to share in his imaginings so that they presented him with an army and a fleet. But during the long reign of the peaceful Cancerian king, military preparations had been non-existent. His ships fell to pieces and his soldiers could not fight. Even Napoleon under those conditions could not have done anything.

When the Lion oversteps the mark, then the other beasts gather to feast upon his carcass. We see this happening during Napoleon's long retreat from Moscow to Paris. In the case of Buckingham, the anticipated feast was thwarted by the Lion's assassination; thereafter, the hunting down of the quarry was performed with the unfortunate Charles I as the substitute Lion.

VIRGO

If Leo rules because he finds it fun, matters are quite otherwise with Virgo. Virgo has a very high sense of duty—"The public weal, for which alone we were born," said Louis XIV; and he meant it! Louis XIV was among the greatest of the Virgo tribe, and only one thing has prevented the recognition of this fact—immortal hate. We hate this man so much that we belittle him. His aim was the service of society. "I have no enemies but those of the State," he said. Virgo is without personal ambition. One word describes Louis—intellect. "Louis loved intellect above all things." "He had an unerring instinct for a clever man," and, surrounded by minds as powerful as his own, planned the conquest of Europe with a subtlety which makes Hitler seem childish. Under him, France became almost what we should call a Communist state, the base for an army of unequalled striking power.

But Virgo is too clever to rely upon force alone. Louis' tools of conquest were writers and artists as well as merchants and armies. France was to be an archetype, a thing of beauty to which the eyes of the whole world would be irresistibly attracted. Louis demanded that France should be beautiful. The subtlety of all this cannot be overestimated; it was a plan of conquest which makes Hitler and the Cominform seem bunglers. Over this creation of work and beauty reigned cold intellect—Louis.

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WHAT RULED LOUIS' PLANS FOR WORLD conquest was another attribute of Virgo. A Roman emperor of the same sign called it "adriatrepsia," immovable rigor—that cold intellectual terror which mankind hates and fears above everything else. The systematic devastation of the German border provinces and the terror let loose upon the Huguenots united Europe against him.

Wherever Virgo rules, we find these things—a cold, clear intellect, a sense of service to society. But with these things comes something more fearful, a terror all the more frightful because it is without passion, cold. Elizabeth I ruled England with clear, hard intellect and a cold terror let loose against enemies; Walpole ruled with the same methods; Richelieu governed France in the same way. At the storm center of the French Revolution stood Saint-Just with his cold Virgo beauty and the single gesture that he made during his speeches—the chopping movement which meant the fall of the guillotine blade.

LIBRA

Two things are notable about Libra when he goes in for politics. The first is intellectual; the second is emotional. Intellectually, he can never make up his mind. He sees both sides of a question and—so long as he depends upon reason alone—can never come to a decision. But Libra is a sign of Venus—that is, of emotion and unitive power. What causes him to act is love or loyalty. When he is loyal to some object, there is no more formidable opponent than Libra.

Intellectually, Cecil could never make up his mind whether to be a Catholic or a Protestant; however, he had one overriding loyalty—to the English Crown, whoever happened to be wearing it. Thus it was that he served Queen Elizabeth I with passionate loyalty and became one of the makers of modern England. In the same way, Potemkin served Catherine II and became one of the founders of Russia, creator of the army which defeated Napoleon.

LIBRANS ARE THE MOST COMPLETELY AND fanatically devoted of all the tribes—not to a set of abstract principles, like Taurus, but to a person or nation. It was no acci-

dent that when everyone else was heartily sick of the slaughter of World War I, it was still carried on by fanatic Libran generals—Foch on the one side, Hindenburg on the other. Of course, Libran Clemenceau ruled France and shot anyone who failed in loyalty. One of the things that made Nelson so dangerous was that his fanatical loyalty had turned the British fleet into a kind of suicide squad. He did not care, and said so, whether he sank half his fleet so long as he destroyed the French.

The other cause of Nelson's danger we find operating in the case of the Libran general, Prince Eugene. It is this: that the unitive power which binds a Libran's army or fleet to him also seems to make him unite with the enemy. He seems to be able to enter into the enemy's mind and smell out his intentions. Nelson knew instinctively where the enemy was and even what was his battle formation. Eugene would suddenly attack the enemy's weakest point, and he himself could never tell how he knew.

SCORPIO

If we look up the list of the great rebels and revolutionaries of history, we find—without much surprise—that most of them are Scorpions. Even when our Scorpion sits upon a hereditary throne, he is a rebel at heart. But one notices a peculiar thing about Scorpio and his revolutions. He makes them, that is true; but he cannot keep his place, and before long is in flight. It is a recurrent pattern.

History has resounded with the crash of Scorpions falling from their thrones—Danton set the French Revolution in motion, but before long he lost his head; Trotsky did the same with the Russian Revolution and soon was in flight. The same pattern was followed by Kossuth in Hungary. Sun Yat-sen brought about the Chinese Revolution; soon he, too, was in flight. The same pattern was followed by Chiang Kai-shek. William Penn founded Pennsylvania; but soon he was found in the usual posture of a political Scorpion—in flight from his enemies. James II and Marie Antoinette fell from their royal thrones, John Adams from his presidential chair.

Usually, the Scorpion manages to make his getaway. In fact, one may call this recurrent historical phenomenon "The Flight of the Scorpion." Cicero left it too late so that Augustus' daggersmen caught up with him en route. The Scorpion is well advised to be packing his bags while the enemy is still some distance from the city.

WHAT CAUSES THIS RECURRENT AND DISASTROUS pattern? Chiefly, it is due to the fact that the qualities which make one an efficient revolutionary do not aid one in ruling. William Penn in opposition could refer to the vice-chancellor of Oxford University as a "poor mushroom," but such remarks did not help when he was governor of Pennsylvania. Washington was not pleased with John Adams' remark that if he had not married money, he would never have become anything. In a position of responsibility, the Scorpion should curb his sting.

But what leads more than anything else to disaster is the fact that the Scorpion does not like ruling. He has no love of power and side-steps responsibility. Tiberius left Rome to govern itself while he retired to Capri. That he was never in flight was only due to the fact that he was a remarkably clever Astrologer. Danton went fishing while his enemies were completing their plans to introduce him to the guillotine.

Another fact which defeats the Scorpion is the fact that he seems helpless where women are concerned. (Turgenev in his novels describes this Scorpionic quality very well.) Hitler's tanks were rumbling into Austria, but Goebbels was nowhere to be found. He was prostrate at the feet of an actress.

But the classic example of the foregoing is Wilkes. Tricky Geminian George III had managed to seize control of Parliament when Wilkes made his appearance. Under the very nose of the king, he filched control of the city of London. (It was Wilkes who made that classic flourish of the Scorpion's sting when—invited to play cards—he said that he could not tell a king from a knave.) George dared not attack London but decided to strike at Wilkes through what he imagined was his soft underbelly — the supporters of the

Wilkesian or democratic party in Massachusetts. It is very doubtful whether the New Englanders would have resisted had they not expected London to revolt at the same time. Of course, had a howling London mob marched upon Parliament at the same time as the Bostonians were having their tea party, that would have been the end of George III. But Wilkes saw to it that a howling London mob did not march upon Parliament. He was otherwise engaged.

London did not revolt, and the American colonists were left in the air. (Luckily, as we shall see, they found a much more powerful British ally than Wilkes.) When it was too late, London did blow up, in the bloody but purposeless Gordon riots—and Wilkes fired on the rioters in the name of the king. That politically, was the end of Wilkes—the man who, if he had played his cards right, could have ruled both Britain and America. The moral is that a political Scorpion should eschew pleasure; otherwise, at the crucial moment, he is to be found far from the political scene.

SAGITTARIUS

Sagittarius is the toughest of all the tribes, the implacable and unconquerable. You are safely rid of Sagittarius only when you chop off his head or blow him up with gunpowder. Milton was a Sagittarian, and he gave the motto of this fierce tribe when he spoke of the "unconquerable will and study of revenge, immortal hate, and courage never to submit or yield."

Above all else, Sagittarius is a fighter. Sagittarius stands astride Scottish history as John Knox, a fighter "who never feared the face of man." In Mary Queen of Scots, Knox met another of his own breed, another Sagittarian. She married Darnley, yet another. Daggers flashed, gunpowder roared; the moderates hastily removed themselves from the scene, as it is wise to do when Sagittarians are fighting one another. They fled from the raging electric storm of Sagittarian hate.

When one thinks one has overcome Sagittarius, one finds he is not overcome at all. Pym and Hampden accomplished their revolution in England and sat back to enjoy it, only to find, to their astonishment and dismay, that Sagittarian Charles

CAPRICORN

I had gathered an army and was preparing to swoop on London. Nor were matters settled until the Sagittarian's head was off—and by then, both Pym and Hampden had been gathered to their fathers, too.

THE ALOOFNESS OF SAGITTARIUS, HIS inability to wield unitive power, was one of the causes of Charles' tragedy. His nobility to a great extent fought against him. Sagittarius finds more friends among animals than among human beings. As a political figure, he usually stands alone—a Chatham, a Churchill, for most of his political life a solitary figure.

Only on one side of his personality is Sagittarius vulnerable—it is strangely open to assault by powers not of this world. (The poet Cowper is an example.) But this can actually give political Sagittarius an advantage. The elder Pitt, Earl of Chatham, was the real founder of the British Empire; and he had an enormous advantage over other politicians, for Pitt was mad. He was a manic depressive. He would spend his depressive periods alone in his room, where food was pushed to him through a hatch. Then he would emerge at the height of mania, and his thunderous speeches sounded as if a god were speaking. At those times, he was indeed superhuman. The orientals have long regarded madmen as the voice of divinity; had they known that the power behind England's expansion into the east was the inspiration of a madman, they would have been very frightened indeed—and with good reason! In four years, he hurled the French from Canada and India and gave England a monopoly of world trade. Then he entered one of his depressive periods and went back to his room. He emerged from it to find George III fighting the American colonists. He rushed to join in the war—on the American side. In the House of Lords, he raged: "If I were an American, I would never lay down my arms, never, never, never!" That is Sagittarius' authentic scream of defiance, as fierce as Churchill's defiance of Hitler. Chatham was the great war leader, and that speech effectively sabotaged the British war effort in America. The Americans had found a better champion than Wilkes.

Capricorn is the expert on the handling of the masses. He is the public relations officer, as for instance Benjamin Franklin. There are plenty more of these public relations characters to be found in history—Lorenzo the Magnificent, Henri IV of France and a swarm of Parliamentarians, the Girondin leaders, in America Hamilton and Wilson, in Britain, Burke, Gladstone, Lloyd George, Attlee. What makes Capricorn so capable of handling men in the mass is his own inconsistency of character so that he is indeed all things to all men. As was said of Ignatius Loyola, his attributes slide into one another so that one can never pin him down. Goering appeared at one and the same time "A Falstaff, a buccaneer, a playboy, a great diplomat, a reckless adventurer, a likable bully, an able administrator and a cunning politician." He is the pragmatist in action. "Paris is worth a mass," said Henry of Navarre. William James (another Capricornian) said the same thing in a rather more involved and philosophic way.

Capricorn is the organizer, the secretary and in particular the Secretary General of the Party. His name is Stalin.* Stalin won power because he set to work "in the dark, gathering a band of henchmen who would be loyal to him because he appointed them and could dismiss them." Capricorn does not work through unitive power, like the Venus types; nor by imposing himself upon the imagination of others, as Leo does, "nor again, as Virgo, by carefully timed and placed strokes. He works subtly, in the dark, all the time organizing. Ideals for him have little meaning unless they are embodied in an organization. To Capricorn, ideas and ideals are simply oil for running the machine of power.

EVEN FEMALE CAPRICORNIANs APPEAR AS organizers. Madame Pompadour made herself the favorite of the King of France by an exceedingly clever organization; once in power, she appointed ministers, ambassadors and generals—and made war,

(*) Do not be misled by Stalin's birth date, which seems to put him in Sagittarius. This is due to the Russian Old Style calendar, a fortnight behind ours.

However, the result was what could have been expected—her generals lost their battles. Diana of Poitiers was another of these Capricornian royal favorites, a marvelous organizer, "placing her nets carefully." That is the way Capricorn is always found acting—placing nets carefully.

Successful Capricorn likes to live in the grand style, as Lorenzo, magnificently—thus, Goering in his Karinhall, Diana in the palaces she built for herself out of confiscated Protestant funds. Stalin would have had little to teach the capable Diana.

AQUARIUS

Read the biography of any prominent Aquarian and invariably you will find, at some page in the book, the biographer describing his man as contradictory, made up of several conflicting personalities—or words to that effect. One can sum up Aquarius in one word; he is contradictory. He does not seem to possess a center to his personality, but is a bundle of often contradictory attributes. He will appear first as one personality, then as another. The most famous example was Talleyrand, bishop, revolutionary, Napoleon's first minister, then the overthrower of Napoleon, the king's first minister. It was as if he possessed a wardrobe full of disguises, each of which, in succession, he put on. Nor was he hypocritical in doing so.

Aquarius is no hypocrite; he merely is, for the moment, the part he is playing. Frederick the Great of Prussia would be an amiable philosopher, a poet, then the ruthless king of Prussia. He was ruthless only because to be king of Prussia demanded that trait. It was not treacherous of Bernadotte to be first one of Napoleon's generals and then, as a Swedish prince, to fight against Napoleon. With his change of uniform, he had changed his character. It was not the same man.

WHEN REVOLUTIONS ARE IN FULL SWING, this adaptability of Aquarius is very useful. The tumbrils lurched over the cob-

blestones of Paris, carrying to the guillotine chieftains of the signs Taurus, Virgo, Scorpio, etc., but not Aquarius. No prominent Aquarian ever occupied the tumbrils. Aquarius is too clever to be caught that way. Talleyrand was in America, Beaumarchais in England; Dumouriez and Pichegru had crossed over to the Austrian lines. You can set up your guillotines, arrange your firing squads; but you will be very clever if you manage to bring in front of them that slippery eel, Aquarius.

PISCES

The biographers of prominent Pisceans have a hard time, for they find it extremely difficult to find out exactly why they became prominent, or even to describe their Fish. Charles V ruled the greatest empire in the world up to his time, and yet he can be described only by a series of negatives. However, he managed to rule that empire for quite a long time. The biographers are quite at a loss as to how to describe Washington. There does not seem to be anything in him one can get hold of. It seems impossible to account for the fact that he rose to the top, except on the supposition that he was a kind of medium who represented first the Virginian aristocracy and then the American Revolution itself.

THAT IS WHAT PISCES IS—A MEDIUM. Jackson was another of these mediums of democracy. The Emperor Constantine possessed this unique quality of Pisces by which a man undistinguished in himself can act as a medium for the passage of enormous powers into the world. Madame Roland was the medium of the French Revolution. Alberoni excited the most extraordinary fears in the middle of the 18th century as a medium of war; yet all we can find to say about him is that he was a good cook. Pisces needs no extraordinary capabilities to rise to political power; all he has to do is to act as a medium.

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People born November 22nd to 24th are usually considered domineering. The Sun on that cusp combines the possessiveness of Scorpio with the outspoken qualities of fiery Sagittarius, making it impossible to keep their emotions to themselves. They are often very clever and able as leaders, but have endless trouble with human relations.

Was That Divorce Necessary?

by Frederick Kane

About half of the several hundred thousand divorces each year could have been prevented if the parties to the suit had consulted a competent Astrologer who understood the stresses and strains produced by Uranus, Mars, Saturn and Neptune when making adverse aspects to Venus, the Moon or Sun. Sometimes Jupiter also enters into the picture.

"Although I divorced my husband two years ago, I cannot forget him and I think I still love him," said one woman not long ago. She said in words what many others have told me by their actions. The one thing prominent in all these cases where divorce is regretted is the fact that they sued for divorce under an adverse aspect of Uranus. Sometimes this aspect was from the progressed Sun. In many cases, the aspect was that of Venus going to an adverse aspect of Uranus in the birth-chart.

ALTHOUGH I HAVE SEEN URANUS AND VENUS in adverse aspect in the birth-chart where there has been no divorce, I have found that these people stayed with their mates only by what they thought was extreme sacrifice on their part. The urge to break the marriage ties was always there. Nor have they ever been under the pressure of a progressed Sun in parallel or in adverse aspect to Uranus which might have given them the extra impetus to make a break. Believe it or not, I have found that about half of my complaining clients were themselves to blame for their marital troubles. These had to be told the facts regardless of how much it hurt. The doctor who sees a case of cancer must tell his patient the truth if the patient is to be helped.

A person suffering from a parallel of Mercury and Saturn or an adverse aspect of the progressed Mercury or Sun to the natal position of Saturn can usually recite long lists of troubles and abuses coming from others, especially the marriage partner—who, of course, happens to be closest in association.

In most of these cases, divorce seems to be the only way to end their imaginary troubles. Even suicide is often contemplated. Here is where the Astrologer can point out that their troubles are about over and that divorce will be of no help and neither will suicide. The mental condition must be changed by engaging in some philosophy which makes the person an extrovert instead of an introvert. He must be made to realize that his present troubles are very likely no worse than many of his past troubles were but the adverse Saturn aspect gives him the feeling that all is about over and the worst is to come.

Then there is the woman who meets a man where she works and believes that just because he talks gently to her, buys her a few things and proposes clandestine meetings, he is head over heels in love with her. Look in the horoscope of this woman and you find some Uranian involvement, usually temporary; the whole romance(?) blows up in her face eventually. Her husband hears about it and a divorce follows. Whose fault was it? The answer is obvious.

THE SAME SITUATION OFTEN ARISES WHEN the planet Venus comes to a progressed adverse aspect of Neptune. In any case,

if the husband had consulted a competent Astrologer, he might have been told that his wife's conduct was only a temporary lapse and that it might never happen again, especially if no adverse Uranus aspects were to be found in her natal chart.

The most tragic infatuations seem to come from adverse Venus-Neptune aspects. When this is found in the natal chart, the native seems to be the victim of misplaced affections most of his life. Neptune in the seventh house seems to bring the same complications in marriage.

The transiting Neptune in opposition to the natal Sun or Venus may cause temporary troubles in married life. The effect can be of a year's duration; of course, divorce under such conditions should be discouraged. One cannot form logical conclusions under the influence of Neptune. The mind sees mirages. Divorce under such circumstances usually leads to future regrets. One's mind should be clear of all delusions before divorce is decided upon. The victim of Uranus, Saturn or Neptune does not function with a clear and logical mind.

The foregoing is but a brief discussion of the inadvisability of divorce while under the influence of adverse astrological aspects. There are other complications. But perhaps it is better to go on to the cases where divorce is a necessity.

SQUARES AND OPPOSITIONS TEND TO CREATE a neurotic temperament and often lead to severe alcoholism. If the alcoholic was born when Uranus and Mars were in adverse aspect, he or she could be dangerous while under the influence of alcohol. The same holds true with the person who has Mars and Saturn adverse, while under the influence of alcohol. Alcohol has the tendency to release the person from the restraint of inhibition. He does many things which when sober he would not do.

A transit over the place of the adverse Mars, Uranus or Saturn brings out the adverse character of the aspect. His or her will power to control the congenital aspect is gone, and the one to suffer most is the marriage partner. Sometimes the children also suffer from the furious outbursts of temper during the spree. Crimes of violence by these people are matters of police record. Cases where women are involved

are usually complicated by severe afflictions to the Moon from Uranus, Neptune and Mars. Such persons should never use alcoholic drinks of any kind.

I have heard hundreds of stories of severe beatings from wives of men with such aspects in their birth-charts. The sooner such a marriage is broken up, the better for all concerned.

But here is the sad part of the whole story. Once the divorce becomes final, the neurotic looks around for another marriage partner; the new partner then becomes another victim of viciousness. A neurotic finds it extremely difficult to live alone. Perhaps he must have someone handy to torture. This applies to the female neurotic as well as the male.

Some neurotics marry four or five times during life. This is not unusual because when inspecting the horoscopes of ex-wives and ex-husbands, it is common to find the same psychological types portrayed in all of them. That may be the reason for the numerous divorces. The neurotic personality is interested only in another neurotic if one's experience is of any value at all.

IF THE ASTROLOGER FINDS A WELL-BALANCED horoscope tied up with the typical neurotic's horoscope, it is his duty to inform the client who may not realize the cause for his or her domestic trouble. Being mentally ill is an illness, the same as stomach trouble or any other physical ailment. If the client shows deep neurotic indications, then it is the duty of the Astrologer to advise psychiatric treatment.

In the field of marital troubles, the Astrologer deals mainly with female clients. In many cases, it is the complaining party who really is at fault and should be told so. One doctor in a state mental hospital told me that the value of Astrology is in the ability to diagnose mental illness in a few hours, whereas it took him two or three weeks to determine the extent of the illness. This is a challenge to all serious students of Astrology, who should by all means study abnormal psychology as a valuable adjunct to Astrology.

In these days when there are too many eager lawyers ready to get divorces for any kind of neurotic, based on hallucina-

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What aspects between the planets
mean to our future

LONG-TERM TRENDS SHAPE LIFE'S OPPORTUNITIES

by RALPH S. SCHAFER

The remote causes in your life, long-term trends extending over periods of years, are the most important events that happen to you. They continue, often without being recognized, and shape the specific happenings which befall you. Understanding these trends gives you the opportunity to prepare yourself for the future and, most important, to develop deliberately the capacities and attitudes which will enable you to take the best advantage of your transiting aspects.

The area through which Pluto transits during your life represents the area of experience in which you will grow. The house through which Pluto is currently transiting represents the immediate sphere of development. When Pluto enters a house, there is likely to be a shake-up in your life which results in your being re-established in new circumstances which provide the background in which you can develop the experiences of the house Pluto is transiting.

I will give an example of the foregoing. Pluto transiting the third house indicates that the native is developing his ability to communicate with others. When Pluto is completing its third-house transit and is in orb of the fourth house, the native's new powers of expression render his home environment and human relations connected with it inadequate for his growth. Consequently, he is likely to experience a shake-up in the home.

natal angles represent major changes in the native's life. Similarly, transits of Pluto to the Sun or Moon can also indicate a disturbance—usually in the home and family. Illness of someone close to the native, or of the native himself, is sometimes the symptomatic event which leads to changes which Pluto's trend develops. The result is always the same—growth. These aspects indicate the native makes a gradual and largely unconscious reorientation in his life. This usually requires a major development around the next-to-last contact of Pluto to the natal planet. If the native's attitudes have developed over a period of five years, he eventually reaches a point where conditions that were formerly adequate for him are no longer satisfactory. Consequently, he must make a change or his new attitudes are responsible for a change happening to him. This crisis occurs near the next-to-last contact.

In this article, I will consistently refer to the conjunction, square and opposition as stressful aspects and the trine and sextile as unstressful aspects. It is always to be understood that we are speaking of aspects of transitors to natal planets.

Aspects of Pluto to Mercury indicate mental growth and the development of ideas and thought patterns. They serve to bring out the mental capacities delineated in the natal chart. They are of special importance to those whose work is

OBVIOUSLY, TRANSITS OF PLUTO OVER THE

intellectual. They are good for research and investigation. They often bring the native into contact with large numbers of individuals in the course of his daily routine.

Aspects of Pluto to Venus describe developments affecting the native's sense of romantic ties and his expression of love and affection. If the native is of the artistic type of temperament or is engaged in artistic work, this will mark major developments in the artistic growth.

Aspects of Pluto to Mars are also emotional in quality, but of a different kind. They show development of the assertive emotions. Stressful aspects may indicate a tendency to take a rebellious attitude toward those in authority and can render the native most troublesome. In horoscopes with criminal potentialities, this aspect can develop them. The unstressful aspects give more outgoing qualities and favor a bold, direct approach to problems.

Aspects of Pluto to Venus and Mars are of special importance when the native is at an age when there is an important sexual development. Stressful aspects show such development involving stressful emotional tension. They are present during the years of puberty in the several charts of homosexuals, for example, that I have in my files.

Aspects of Pluto to Jupiter indicate the expansion and development of a new field of interest or an old interest the native has not had the opportunity to pursue. The native places a higher value on group activities and becomes more interested in community life, politics, and so on. He is likely to be less seclusive and more closely involved in what is going on in his town, state or country. In the horoscope of children, this applies to the neighborhood and school.

Transiting Pluto appears to have a great deal to do with marriage, since aspects of this planet to natal Venus, Mars and Jupiter (as well as the reverse combinations) are often present at marriage. If Pluto rules Scorpio, and I believe it does, this would seem logical, for this sign has to do with the union of souls through physical union (in contradistinction to Taurus

which is more closely associated with pure animal sex).

Aspects of Pluto to Saturn bring about the native's awareness of the need for refinement of his own actions and thoughts. He tends to impose self-restrictions (rightly or wrongly) in order to train himself in some line of action or thought in which he feels he requires it. It is excellent for organizing anything. The stressful aspects are more extreme.

Aspects of Pluto to natal Uranus, Neptune and Pluto are too general in effect for consideration in the individual horoscope. Many individuals throughout the world experience them more or less simultaneously. They indicate political and economic forces which affect a whole generation. This is true of a number of other combinations which will be omitted from this article.

WHILE ASPECTS OF PLUTO FOSTER GROWTH and development, aspects of Neptune indicate dissolution. In whatever house Neptune transits, there exist undesirable conditions which lead to emotional stress. In accordance with Neptune's indefinable quality, these conditions are seldom clearly recognized by any involved in them or by observers. All during the transit, these conditions are slowly, hiddenly passing away.

When Neptune approaches a cusp, the native experiences a revelation. He suddenly comes to a realization of the undesirable conditions which have prevailed and the emotional stress which has built up. Since they are largely psychological, he usually then discovers a way of eliminating them—but generally only after the aspect is nearly completed when Neptune is also making an aspect. Serious afflictions of Neptune lead to anxiety.

Transits of Neptune to the angles, Sun and Moon have a similar dissolving effect but do not last as long. The dissolution is often implemented by the sickness of the native or someone close to him. In some cases, other factors being equal, there is a death. It is unfortunate but true that the aspects of no other planet will so readily bring forward any negative potentialities the horoscope describes.

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Aspects of Neptune to Mercury are usually creative, for these two planets appear to be congenial. They give improved appreciation of the more creative aspects of life. If the native possesses literary ability, this may develop it. Stressful aspects can give a certain restlessness and nervousness. Often the mind is turned toward strange avenues of thought. Escapism often takes the form of a false and empty mysticism or occultism. Even Astrology can fulfill this dubious need.

Aspects of Neptune to Venus indicate important emotional developments. The unstressful aspects are seldom effective except in charts of those who are exceptionally creative in some way. The squares and oppositions tend to induce a sense of inadequacy or of injury or being unloved which lasts over a long period of time. This tends to give the native false conceptions about himself and others' intentions toward him. There is an increased tendency toward any potentiality the native has for exhibitionism, sensationalism or brooding.

The strangest thing about the aspect is the way normally introvert and reserved types get to be sensitive and brooding! It turns the native "emotionally inside out," as it were. The native's tendencies toward romanticism or sensualism are brought forward. If the native's marriage was unsteady before the aspect comes in orb, there can be a separation or divorce. If the native is at an age when sexual developments are natural, this can be a ticklish aspect, especially during early puberty, when the native's sexual education is likely to be marred by undesirable influences outside the home unless great care is taken. Even at other ages, sexual developments are possible and they would appear to be almost inevitable if the aspect occurs near the return of Saturn to its own place. It is generally unfavorable for romance but not always so. If other, more stable aspects are also in effect at the same time, permanent and satisfying relationships can be made. I have several cases on file where homosexuals entered marriage-like relationships, some of which were successfully congenial and some which were not.

Aspects of Neptune to Mars tend to mix up the native's expression of assertive emotions. As a result, he tends to be restless, irritable, unsure of himself and generally confused. Even the unstressful aspects can have this effect. The native finds it difficult to decide what goals to seek, to settle down and establish roots. This restlessness can be creative and lead the native to seek improvement. The native tends to develop an attitude which is a paradoxical mixture of shyness and bluster.

Aspects of Neptune to Jupiter appear to be mostly health indications. Under the stressful aspects, important health developments are likely. These usually involve the respiratory system and the teeth. Otherwise, there are usually important changes in the native's sense of values. These sometimes lead to monetary benefits (unstressful aspects) or financial imperceptions (stressful aspects). The native tends to become more interested in games of chance and gambling.

Aspects of Neptune to Saturn occur at times when the native feels he is under pressure, racing against time, struggling against heavy odds. If he has been doing something punishable, he may be caught. He is made to account for mistakes and erroneous judgments. The so-called favorable aspects can also have this effect but in lesser degree.

TRANSITS OF URANUS ESTABLISH ORDER. IN whatever house Uranus transits, you need to organize your activities and bring about system. This usually requires changes of an extensive kind, and so there are likely to be upsets in the affairs ruled by the house ruled by the transiting Uranus. The native is faced with the necessity of breaking away from outworn patterns of thought and action. Any difficulties that result from these transits are probably due to hesitancy in breaking ties with the past.

Like those of Pluto and Neptune, **transits of Uranus over the angles** usually affect the home life and family relations. They frequently affect the occupation as well. Transits over the horizon seem to be

more dynamically effective than those over the meridian.

Transits of Uranus to the natal Sun and Moon are quite similar and give a strong urge on the native's part to establish greater independence.

Aspects of Mercury to Uranus disrupt outworn patterns of thought. Any number of circumstances are possible which implement this trend. Frequently, the native meets new and stimulating people who open his mind to greater originality of thought. Often travel has this effect.

Aspects of Uranus to Venus revitalize the emotions. The native is stimulated into a more gratifying and less seclusive emotional expression. The stressful aspects can lead to a great deal of emotional excitement and increase any potentiality the native has for sensualism or Bohemianism. I have several cases on file of homosexuals who remained celibate or forced themselves into heterosexual activities for many years. When Uranus contacted Venus, they finally gave in to overt expression of homosexuality. This usually occurred through meeting someone especially attractive.

In the most ideal sense, this aspect can lead to a sudden and especially stimulating friendship that often blossoms quickly into romance (particularly near the return of Saturn to its own place). Even though the friend or lover may soon disappear from the native's life, the effect of the person will be revolutionizing in some way. But it is not true that any friendship or romantic tie made under this aspect is bound to be short-lived. The unstressful aspects of Saturn, occurring at the same time, can indicate life-long affairs.

Aspects of Uranus to Mars indicate a break from outworn patterns of self-assertion. Consequently, a normally shy and unassertive individual will often become more outgoing and less sensitive. Although the newly discovered boldness may subside after the aspect has gone out

of orb, a certain increase in self-confidence will last until the end of the native's life. Similarly, a more outgoing individual tends to develop greater control, retaining some of this quality afterward. In both cases, the end is the same—increase of the native's independence and individuality. The assertion of individuality tends to be smooth and less obtrusive with the unstressful aspects. Under the stressful type, there is often a breaking away from people on whom the native places too much reliance. In a young person's horoscope, this often signals the easing or disrupting of parental ties, as the case may be.

Aspects of Uranus to Jupiter indicate a general broadening of the horizons and a more dynamic interest in life. This indicates travel with striking frequency. The native has the urge to branch out.

Aspects of Uranus to Saturn indicate a period of pronounced restlessness and self-dissatisfaction on the native's part. There is often a feeling of being tied down or hampered, with a resultant tendency to kick over the traces. The native is prone to force issues. This tendency, of course, is more evident in the stressful aspects. The unstressful aspects often coincide with important occupational developments. This usually consists of additional job responsibility and also additional prestige and authority. There may be a conventional outlet for an unusual activity or a profitable outlet for a usually unprofitable activity. In a more negative way, there can be rebelliousness and contempt for authority.

These are the twenty-four basic types of major trends that affect the lives of all of us. Most of us have several of them effective at once in one of innumerable possible combinations. If you trace these transits in your own horoscope and in those of your friends, I am sure that you will be pleased with the accurate results. I have tested these over a long period in actual forecasting work and have included in this article only those elements which prove most consistently reliable.

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It is utterly impossible for people born March 20th to 23rd to keep back tears or tell a joke with a straight face. The deep sympathy of a Pisces Sun position, combined with the quick "do-something-about-it" reactions of Aries, compels them to give full expression to their emotions.

CUPID RINGS TWICE

By G. Cardinal LeGros

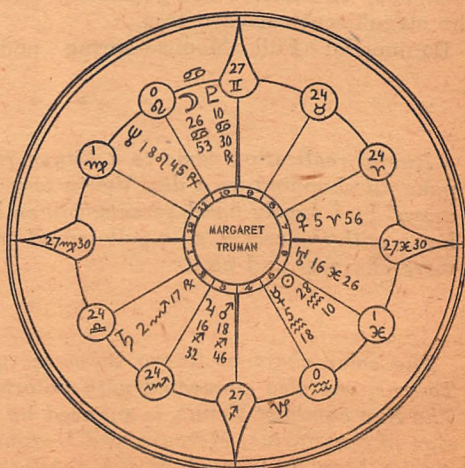
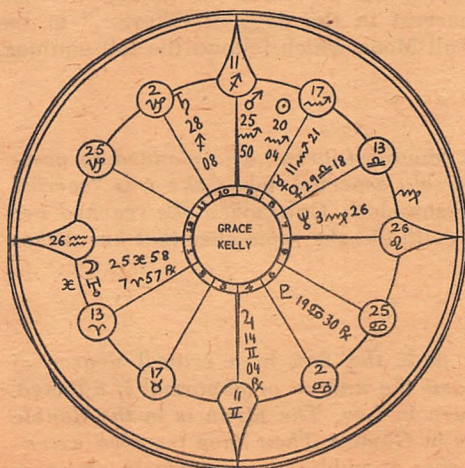
Students of Astrology have two of the finest proofs of the science in the marriages of Grace Kelly and Margaret Truman. Cupid rang twice in April of 1956 for these noteworthy ladies, and the stars chimed in their happy accompaniment.

It is instructive to note that on April 18-19, 1956—when Miss Kelly became Princess of Monaco—the transiting Neptune was in a powerful conjunction with her natal Venus (planet of love) at 29° Libra (the sign of marriage). Transiting Venus at 14° Gemini, exactly conjunction her Jupiter, ruler of her tenth house of public life and attainment; Jupiter is in the fourth house of home. Transiting Mercury, ruler of intercepted Virgo in the seventh house of marriage, had reached 11° Taurus, in opposition to her natal Mercury in Scorpio, which rules, by the way, Gemini on her fourth house of home and private life. The Prince looks

very much like he has Leo rising, which sign graces her seventh-house cusp. The planet Saturn in Grace's tenth house means that she is raised to a high place in the world. It will be fascinating to watch the unfoldment of her royal destiny.

EVEN MORE REMARKABLE TESTIMONIES of the planets appeared in the horoscope of Margaret Truman on April 21, when, to the happiness of a waiting world, she became a bride. The transiting Sun reached 1° 21' Taurus, opposition her natal Saturn (human relation aspect)—and Saturn rules intercepted Capricorn in her fourth house. Transiting Neptune (ruler of her seventh) stood at 28° 50' Libra, trine her Sun in the fifth house of love. Mars at 4° 20' Aquarius was conjunction natal Mercury, also in the fifth, and ruler of her ascendant.

Venus at 16° 44' Gemini was opposition Margaret Truman's natal Jupiter; Mercury



at 17° 20' Taurus was sextile Uranus, ruler of her fifth, and square Neptune, ruler of her seventh. Even more significant, as far as indicating the correctness of her birth time, was progressed Mercury, which this year stands at 27° 50' Pisces, exactly conjunction her seventh house cusp.

Both ladies have excellently aspected

seventh houses of marriage; therefore, regardless of what destiny may have in store for them in other departments of life, they can safely anticipate happiness and fulfillment in matrimony. Through a study of the configurations in their horoscopes in April, the student will recognize the signs which invariably appear when Cupid rings the bell.

WAS THAT DIVORCE NECESSARY?

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tory complaints and injuries, the Astrologer can prevent the ever-rising divorce rate by ascertaining whether or not the causes for a divorce are permanent or temporary only. If there is no hope for a change in behavior, any competent Astrologer can tell that from a correct horoscope. Above all things, he should be ethical enough to tell the truth and not sympathize with his client if sympathy is not the best course. To resort to flattery of a client is the usual procedure of the common fortuneteller and not the duty of the ethical Astrologer who respects his calling.

The examination and analysis of hundreds of horoscopes has shown:

1. Adverse aspects between the malefics create tensions.

2. Adverse aspects between the Sun, Moon and Mercury and the malefics create tensions.

3. Tensions produce psychological urges which are the main cause of marital troubles.

4. The kind and amount of troubles caused by these adverse aspects depend on the planets involved, the ability to withstand adversity (often based on Sun-Sign) and the degree of tolerance of the marriage partner.

Emotional support is often as important as financial support.

AN EASTER MESSAGE

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great solar fire at the future spring equinox. All divine answers are conditioned by human needs and human prayers. "Wester" makes possible Easter—the little seed deep in humus will germinate into the magnificent redwood tree.

Equinoctial Full Moons—spring and

fall, and always spring again. Astrology is a poem of new beginnings. It reveals Easter mysteries. It sees the oak in the acorn. But no one can be born again at spring time who has not gathered a rich harvest in the days of "Wester," at the Full Moon which follows the fall equinox.

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Rueful realization came to a Venus-ruled "double Libran" who planned to postpone all shopping on a day Venus was adversely aspected, when she was "carried away" by a lovely hand-screened linen luncheon cloth. Only when she reached her home with the cream, pale yellow and green cloth did she remember that her dishes were charcoal and pink.

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The solar chart of Negro Siamese twins finds the Sun in a critical degree of Taurus, one also connected with notoriety and the unique or abnormal if afflicted. The Sun combust Venus, is squared by Saturn in Leo. The Moon is in the double sign of Sagittarius; Mercury and Uranus are in Gemini. They have traveled extensively, been very much in the public eye, sing at public appearances in churches and are interested in becoming missionaries.



THE *Aries* STORK 1957

By Leea Odets

Know Your Child Born March 21 to April 20

If you are expecting a bundle from heaven in April, 1957, a rundown on what lies ahead may be of use to you. Be assured that no humdrum existence awaits you from here on, for the Aries-born clan is the most active of any of the zodiac.

Courage, enthusiasm, eagerness and leadership are words applicable to the Aries nature. Natives of this sign usually are exhilarating companions, workers and members of a family group. You will be apt to find these characteristics apparent in varying degree even during infancy and early childhood.

As first sign of the zodiac, Aries imbues its heirs with ability and willingness to head almost any group or undertaking. These are the pioneers of the world, as befits persons of the premier zodiacal sign. In old Astrology of the East, the year began with the entry of the Sun into Aries, paralleling the awakening of Nature as it sent out new buds and marked the quickening of all life on earth. We can readily understand why natives of this first sign possess such an abundance of alertness, energy and speed.

Confident, intense Mars is planetary ruler of Aries, accounting for the strenuous and vehement characteristics often found in the brood. Natives of this Mars-ruled sign have an enlivening, stimulating effect on persons or environments with whom or which they come into contact, as one might expect of those under rulership

of the "God of War." The influence of this potent planet can sponsor haste, impulsiveness or antagonism if allowed to get out of control.

THE SUN, GIVER OF LIFE AND VITALITY, is exalted in this springtime sign and shares much of its animation, strength and prominence with those born in the sign of its elevation. Arians usually bear the stamp of warmth, authority and leadership held by the foremost body of our solar system.

Aries belongs to the cardinal grouping of signs, again accenting active, enterprising qualities. The classical key word for this grouping of signs is initiative—an attribute certainly exemplified in the Arian nature. Persons strongly based in cardinal qualities usually feel it their responsibility to teach man and help him find his true place in life's evolvement. They wish to have nothing remain static, either mentally or physically.

Among animal symbols for the zodiacal signs, the Ram is the one assigned to Aries—that quadruped which has a faculty for butting its way to green pastures or whatever it desires or needs most. The Aries character is very representative of this animal, for one rarely finds a native of the sign who can be dominated or coerced to any degree. They have a fearless, self-confident manner that is discerned readily by family or associates.

The element under which Aries is classified is fire, the sponsor of a consuming drive that dominates natives of this quadruplicity throughout life. These are positive signs and represent the purity of zeal that results from burning out of inconsequential deterrents to objectives. There is an obvious directness of purpose demonstrated by most fire-sign individuals that helps them accomplish set goals that often would baffle persons born under other signs.

Caution and patience are two qualities in which impulsive Arians usually are short-suited. Their rash Mars-ruled nature often inclines them to forge ahead regardless of possible outcome if they feel they are in the right and have decided to carry out a certain project. Often, too, these versatile persons are inclined to have too many irons in the fire without definite plans or intentions regarding them.

AS PARENTS OR GUARDIANS OF FIRST-SIGN children, it will be your duty to teach these industrious being that they must learn to finish projects they undertake before going on to new ones. This is one of their negative traits that must be overcome by substituting more stable habits. Natives of this sign also have to learn to maintain an equable temperament—often a difficult feat for Mars-ruled persons. However, the Aries potential for good is so high that it would be sad not to bring it to the fore.

Give your aspiring Arian the best possible education so his or her best qualities can be utilized and given an opportunity to function to their fullest degree. The Aries courage and demand for activity fit them for many occupations and professions when they reach adulthood, very often in fields that bring their muscular prowess into use. Types of work frequently chosen by Arians are surgery, dentistry, military activities, sports, engineering, metal work and supervisory fields.

Well-known names of historical and contemporary Arians include Sir Joseph Lister, initiator of aseptic surgery; Hans

Christian Andersen, writer of fables with a moral for children; Wilbur Wright, pioneer in aviation; Thomas Jefferson and John Tyler, Presidents of the United States; Otto von Bismarck, founder of the German Empire; Charles Schwab, steel magnate; Arnold Toynbee, historian; Walter Winchell, daring news reporter; Lily Pons, operatic coloratura soprano; and Marlon Brando, actor.

Arians usually have a strong constitution but short endurance because of the high speed and drive to which they are inclined. They generally are high-strung persons who need to learn that their strength must be expended wisely and gradually in order to make it last for the many interests they constantly wish to pursue. This sign rules the head; its natives often are subject to severe headaches, insomnia or accidents to this part of the body. Their excess activity sometimes results in stomach and kidney disorders, by reflex influence from square and opposition signs.

REST AND RELAXATION ARE ABSOLUTE requisites for the well-being of Arians in order to recuperate from the wear their bodies suffer in their stimulating Mars-ruled lives. Work out a schedule for your energetic child that will allow him sufficient exercise along with frequent breaks in routine to prevent the fatigue or exhaustion that sometimes impairs the innate vitality of the sign.

The 1957 Arians have a number of good aspects to their Sun as aids in manifesting the many attributes with which they are endowed. Its vitalizing sextile to Mars, their ruler, on March 25 will be most effective for those whose birth falls in the early degrees of the sign. On April 3-4, there is a stabilizing Sun-Saturn trine that will be helpful in systematizing the lives of individuals born near that time. The Sun-Pluto trine on the 18th should be a factor in unifying the attributes of persons who make their appearances at that portion of the month.

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People born with Jupiter in Virgo usually have a conventional "Horatio Alger" type of ambition, work hard and conscientiously, are fond of mottos and wise maxims and have a reputation for clean living. "The great protector" in this sign protects against temptation.



SAFETY FIRST

Statistics reveal there is an alarming increase in accidents. Many of these could be avoided if one were aware of the days upon which they are most likely to occur. With the hope that the stars may be of service in helping you to avoid disaster, we are presenting this feature.

Smog, steam or smoke may dim your vision on the 1st. Don't drive by guesswork. Turn on your headlights. Keep away from bridges, crossroads or other places undermined or bogged by swollen rivers. The most critical period lies between 9:31 and 11:41 P.M.

Approach the 6th with the utmost caution. Be very careful in the use of chemicals, explosives, inflammable materials. This is kite season. Explain to children the possibility of shock from electric wires when wire is used for kite cord. Don't permit them to walk or play on railroad tracks. Observe traffic rules. Remember that T.V. patrols the highways; electronic eyes now can watch you drive, while ears pick up car sounds. 10:02 A.M. is critical.

Don't be a hit-and-run driver on the 9th; you are nearly certain to be caught. If you are walking on the highway, keep on the left side of the road. If it is dark, carry a lantern or flashlight. Drive carefully on hills and in mountainous areas. There's a very critical period at 2:15 A.M.

On the 11th, guard pets. Beware of

fires caused by overheating or the combustion of damp hay in barns and chicken houses. Laboratory workers should guard against accidents to the hands. The most dangerous periods are at 1:06 and 3:50 P.M. On the 18th, reckless drivers will pay the full penalty of the law, as judges are in no mood for leniency. Don't travel unless necessary, particularly near 9:07 A.M. and 3:15 P.M.

On the 21st, children require special care. Don't let a tiny tot play with big brother's electric train or tamper with electric outlets or plugs. Caution older children never to let a scooter carry them into the street and never to hitch wagons to automobiles or other vehicles. The most hazardous period is near 8:45 P.M.

The 22nd and until after 3:58 A.M. of the 23rd is a most dangerous period. Exercise the utmost caution on the highways and in the use of machinery and electrical equipment. Explosions are imminent. On the 26th, hospital and prison personnel, ambulance drivers should beware of accidents near 12:45 and 5:10 A.M. Nurses should make sure they administer correct medication.

It's drunken drivers who chalk up accidents near 3:12 A.M. on the 29th. "Monday morning blue" commuters invite them near 7:02 A.M. If you're out of sorts, don't drive. Avoid airplane travel on the 1st, 5th, 6th, 21st, 22nd, 23rd and 29th.



ARIES

YOUR APRIL HOROSCOPE

If you were born March 21—April 20

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 1ST HOUSE. IT RULES:

- health and diet
- career and developments
- self-expression
- past matters that crop up

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- putting your best foot forward
- changing work habits
- starting things anew
- dressing well

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- using authority unwisely
- making a poor impression
- being overly critical
- letting doubts paralyze you
- jeopardizing your health

THIS MONTH STRESSES personal attitudes and reactions that will govern relationships with kin and neighbors for some time to come.

You have entered a period of the year when important planets are operating in your favor to bring you attention from important people, especially patrons and those in your immediate environment. The first four days of April are excellent for setting up personal and business plans along lines that will endure and bring you satisfaction in coming weeks and months. This same portion of the forecast period may enable you to benefit through in-

laws, your faith or philosophy, religious beliefs. Elders or teachers may contribute a great deal to your advancement if you heed their ideas and suggestions. The outlook improves to your satisfaction in an important way. Keep up with social opportunities.

THE END OF THE FIRST WEEK OF APRIL HOLDS benefits for you where your pocketbook is concerned, but there may be tricky angles, trouble in relationships, which will need cautious handling from the 6th onward. Don't let emotions govern your moves or reactions at the turn of the Moon on the 7th. Be sure of true facts before you sign papers, especially contracts involving money or credit, on the 5th and 6th. Aspects to Mars during the second week of the month show you under some strain in relationships or communications with those both near and far. This is not a good period for important journeys, except those dictated by necessity. Try avoiding letting worry or fatigue get you down around the 9th.

You should be ready to give your mate special attention and consideration by mid-month, particularly at the time of the Full Moon on the 14th. Venus conjunct the Sun lends you added luck and charm at this time, but be sure you utilize your capabilities in the right direction. Don't let social or romantic successes go to your head. Put the emphasis on those who really count in your daily life and affairs. The end of the third week of April is a period to be careful about your handling of money and valuables. There could be a letdown involving ready cash.

THE 21ST TO 23RD MAY PROVE A SOMEWHAT hectic period of the month, and this is no time to force issues or your luck. The odds are against you. It would be better to swing with the tide and concentrate on everyday tasks, work and service matters. If you do this in the right spirit, you will avoid getting off on some very negative tangents. The New Moon on the 29th brings renewed interest in the exchequer and personal earnings. Be ready to meet some past obligations or to deal with temporary pressure on your pocketbook because of social or other commitments, needs of elders.

ARIES' DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

1st Mon. The personal side of your affairs is accented until evening with promise of progress through afternoon contacts. Skip P.M. money moves. Watch expenses then.

2nd Tu. This day is much better for attention to your financial interests. Take care of necessary accounts. There is promise of gain, improved earnings.

3rd Wed. Fortunate aspects bring you benefits through work and helpfulness to others. This is a fine time to advance your business and money affairs. Cultivate elders.

4th Th. Relationships with others take on a new meaning, and you will find neighbors or brethren much to the fore about this time. Variety appeals, so visit or travel a bit.

5th Fri. Make the most of early morning aspects which favor cementing ties with those around you, improving bonds of affection. Double check news and any papers to sign.

6th Sat. This week end brings an emphasis upon home and family matters. Be prepared for some unexpected news or developments in your relationships.

7th SUN. The turn of the Moon creates sensitive conditions in your domestic circle. Swing with the tide, and matters will work out well by this evening.

8th Mon. You have a good chance during the forenoon to settle some outstanding matters and to put yourself on a better basis. Avoid stress and strain in the P.M.

9th Tu. Late morning and the balance of the day are favorable for gaining a chance to advance some of your heart's desires, pet interests. Try to relax.

10th Wed. Interests of loved ones and children are very much to the fore, especially this morning. You make progress through helpfulness to others in afternoon and evening.

11th Th. There is considerable emphasis upon your job, health, and interests of dependents. Don't invite unnecessary strain or problems involving others.

12th Fri. The forenoon brings you satisfying developments in employment matters. This P.M. favors public relations and benefits through partnership and others.

13th Sat. Watch out for possible inroads upon your pocketbook, a tendency to extravagance or unnecessary spending. Let your mate or others arrange things.

14th SUN. The Full Moon shows this to be a somewhat busy period socially. Enjoy yourself, but maintain harmony at all costs. Try to retrench and rest in P.M.

15th Mon. Mutual money dealings and personal finances are accented. Try to avoid bickering, unnecessary borrowing or lending, especially tonight. Be secretive.

16th Tu. There is a call upon your resourcefulness. Do not let lack of confidence discourage

you where assets and talents are concerned. Don't dissipate energy.

17th Wed. The desire to plan and arrange things will be very strong, especially during the P.M. hours. You can't rush decisions from others, so don't try it.

18th Th. An important series of aspects puts some strain upon relationships, both near and far, so wait for the tide to swing before you force issues.

19th Fri. The call to duty is strong, and you appear able to make progress in gaining attention from key people, those able to help you businesswise. Be wary in finances.

20th Sat. This portion of the month can find some strain upon your exchequer through surprise events or other complicating factors. Protect cash. Be on the job.

21st SUN. The Quarter Moon and aspects it makes indicate a period of some strain or problems linked with domestic affairs or friends. Be very calm and discreet.

22nd Mon. Mars adverse to Jupiter is not good for any forcing of your luck. Avoid sharp talk or hasty action in relationships. Listen to friends and well-wishers.

23rd Tu. Deal warily with important individuals, leaders, who may now be upset or temperamental. Drive ahead with attention to business income and social ties.

24th Wed. You have excellent aspects for resolving problems and achieving desired privacy or rest this day and evening. Others appreciate your sympathy and attention.

25th Th. There are favorable indications for necessary business talks or agreements. You are urged to watch diet and avoid health strain, especially in late evening.

26th Fri. You and your affairs come to the fore by afternoon, and aspects in force seem to promise you an interesting, entertaining evening. Be with loved ones.

27th Sat. The outlook for the week end promises pleasant adventures and a chance to enjoy hobbies or other recreational interests. You may want to entertain.

28th SUN. Let loved ones feel the warmth of your interest in them and their affairs, especially during the P.M. hours. You are promised a good time, improved relations.

29th Mon. The New Moon brings an accent upon practical, down-to-earth matters, especially finances. Get a clear picture before you make important moves, changes.

30th Tu. There are excellent configurations for bolstering income and making progress with work, business, or economic matters. Carefully note news and reports.

These guides fit influences into your life according to the houses of your solar chart. Use each part of every day best by following the aspects in the Self-Guidance Chart.



TAURUS

YOUR APRIL HOROSCOPE

If you were born April 21—May 21

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 12TH HOUSE. IT RULES:

- insecurities
- inward problems, introspection
- institutions, hospitalized people
- improvement of your personality

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- self-analysis
- doing things honorably
- taking time to be alone
- concern for others

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- lacking restraint
- tension with subordinates
- thinking negatively
- not realizing your faults
- hesitating to make decisions

THIS MONTH STRESSES activities of importance to your pocketbook, and both earning and spending will be exhilarated.

During April, you are passing through a portion of your solar year which provides you excellent opportunities for finding the way out of problems and dealing with demands upon you from those who are ill or needy. You will find it to your advantage to put some extra emphasis upon a review of past matters, especially during the first seventeen days of

this month. In this way, you will be able to clear away accumulated affairs, taking care of unfinished work or business. Easier conditions may thus be realized in your private life by the 14th. Your best dates for gaining needed assistance or finding the way out of trouble will be the 2nd, 4th, 6th, 14th, and 17th. Don't neglect health.

TRY TO ARRANGE A SCHEDULE FOR YOURSELF early this month that will permit achieving some extra rest and privacy. Don't be afraid to withdraw from the round of events you now face. It would be a mistake to try to stay in the foreground if you can beat a retreat temporarily and concentrate upon matters of immediate importance to yourself. Do not be confounded by apparent difficulties, for there are excellent aspects working to your good that will help you extricate yourself from any apparent adverse circumstances if you will put forth the necessary effort and see the right people. This portion of the year should lift from your shoulders some trials and tribulations which have made you feel troubled or depressed in the past.

There is a strong accent from the planet Mercury upon your personal life and affairs after the 4th, and this will bring you increased correspondence and dealings with personal money affairs and relatives, especially around the 5th, 6th, and 14th. Do not let nervous tension get the best of you during this interval. Try to avoid any matters which can stir up misunderstandings or contentions, especially with family, elders, or members of your community. Mars is strongly accenting the financial side of your solar horoscope, and its most favorable aspect of the month occurs on the 2nd. It makes two negative aspects later in April, one of which occurs on the 9th and the other is complete on the 23rd. You can, therefore, best drive ahead for gain early this month and be prepared for stress and strain where your pocketbook is concerned during the second and fourth weeks of the period.

DON'T LET MONEY BURN A HOLE IN YOUR purse late this month when you will be tempted to buy or to spend impulsively. Let late April bring you renewed personal poise and a sense of well-being and confidence under the New Moon of the 29th.

TAURUS' DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

1st Mon. You wind up some important private matters on a successful note by midafternoon. Watch personal reactions, a tendency to be moody or sensitive tonight.

2nd Tu. You may feel in better spirits today, and prevailing aspects indicate some pleasant, profitable events or contacts. Get around and see people.

3rd Wed. It will pay you to make your presence felt in a wide circle at this time. Loved ones and dear friends are ready to help advance your important aims.

4th Th. A change of pace brings a renewed interest in personal money matters and a desire for action along economic lines. Don't be too fast in spending tonight.

5th Fri. It will pay you to check carefully details and proposals of any deals which affect your pocketbook. Don't believe all you hear or read at this time.

6th Sat. You have an excellent opportunity to strengthen relations with kin and neighbors at the moment. Look out for unexpected expenses or events that are costly.

7th SUN. The turn of the Moon shows some very sensitive people around you this morning and afternoon. Trips and visits are not recommended until around evening.

8th Mon. This morning is excellent for obtaining desired information, reaching decisions, and communicating with others. Be steady in domestic matters tonight.

9th Tu. There is a strong accent upon home or office interests, a good chance to settle any pressing matters. Things end well by this evening if you are calm.

10th Wed. Swing with the tide of events around your base of operations this morning, and all will work out well. You seem ready for fun and recreation by evening.

11th Th. Don't expect too much from loved ones or children under the aspects in force today. It would be unwise to take chances involving money or resources.

12th Fri. You should see some of your heart's desires becoming possible. Prepare yourself for requests from others for help with problems or work later today.

13th Sat. There is an emphasis upon interest in your health or wardrobe, employment affairs, and personal problems. Action helps you accomplish much by evening.

14th SUN. The Full Moon marks this as a period of contemplation and self-analysis. Try to gain extra rest if you can. Don't let negative emotions govern conduct.

15th Mon. It would be easy to get involved in bickering or differences of opinion with partners or others by tonight. Watch this tendency. Don't be too sensitive.

16th Tu. Your greatest gains now will come through cooperation and teamwork, understand-

ing the views of others. Don't expect preference or strong support.

17th Wed. Take stock of your joint possessions and personal assets. It is time to organize accounts along permanent and realistic lines. Problems are smoothing out.

18th Th. You will be giving much thought to payments or collections, personal and mutual funds. The evening brings a better view of things and a chance for settlements.

19th Fri. Venus adverse suggests special attention to your well-being and emotional reactions. The Moon favors planning, distant interests, and news from others.

20th Sat. The outlook is excellent for incoming calls or letters that will be to your interest. However, Venus square Uranus suggests caution in social and personal matters.

21st SUN. You may find this a day of stress and strain unless you remain very calm and detached. Show stability. Don't be upset by any situation that develops.

22nd Mon. Focus your attention upon ambitions and business duties. You forge ahead professionally and gain timely recognition from top people. Prestige mounts.

23rd Tu. There are challenging factors that may be upsetting basic set-ups. Accept change and progress. You will want to act boldly to protect position and earnings.

24th Wed. A change of pace brings emphasis upon social life, friends, and group interests. This is good for you, so be willing to mix and cooperate with others.

25th Th. Much thought may now be given to business or personal finances. Take steps to hold what you have already gained. Don't be too generous this evening.

26th Fri. Afternoon and evening aspects are fine for solving problems or lending your help to those who are ill or needy. Try to gain privacy and rest this P.M.

27th Sat. The week-end outlook favors enjoyment of seclusion, out-of-the-way places. You may want to take a trip or just settle down and rest. Wind up unfinished matters.

28th SUN. This period is fine for taking care of odd jobs, doing things which keep you out of the limelight and provide a sense of release from strain or problems.

29th Mon. The New Moon brings you to the fore and makes it necessary to display initiative or leadership in your circle. Personal contacts bring the best results.

30th Tu. Don't rely upon others to accomplish things for you now. You profit most by a "do-it-yourself" program in personal, money, and business affairs.

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GEMINI

YOUR APRIL HOROSCOPE

If you were born May 22—June 21

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 11TH HOUSE. IT RULES:

- charitable undertakings
- clubs and organizations
- friends and acquaintances
- business financing

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- letting people know what you want
- working along with others
- finding congenial friends
- trying to augment business income

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- too many expenditures
- using partnership funds carelessly
- being too ambitious
- lack of loyalty
- making friends with unworthy individuals

THIS MONTH STRESSES an aggressive urge to action which may cause you to stir up crosscurrents in your environment.

The planet Mars occupies your Sun-Sign throughout the entire month of April. During the first few days of this period, it will be in good aspect to Venus which helps soften your actions and attitudes towards others, strengthening the desire for friendship and bringing you an opportunity to add some worthwhile new acquaintances to your circle. However, by

the second week of the month, especially around the 9th, you may be showing an intensified attitude of irritability, aggressiveness, or impatience in your dealings with partners, teammates, the public, and associates. Watch this tendency lest it stir up unnecessary resentment and later reactions from people whose understanding and cooperation you need.

DURING APRIL, THE SUN IS VERY FORTUNATE for your attention to income from business or profession. This same trend is fine for revitalizing friendships or bringing new congenial people into your life. The first four days of April show this trend operating at its best. There is a repeat good aspect during the third week of the month, around the 18th. Meanwhile, you may find yourself caught up in some interesting social doings that keep you busy but relaxed, around the time of the Full Moon on the 14th in particular. Generally speaking, this month encourages some extension of your interests along altruistic, friendly lines, so try to be more sociable, a better mixer in your circle.

Those born the first week of June may find Saturn's opposition somewhat trying, a test of their true worth and objectives, especially around the 9th. This is actually an influence indicating the chance for maturing and growing in one's public relations, marital and other affairs. However, it frequently tends to inhibit self-confidence and to encourage a sense of frustration, lack of appreciation. The way to deal with this is to recognize the ebbs and flows and not be overcome by temporary oppositions or setbacks. The aggressive spirit of Mars will make you quick-tempered and irritable during a good portion of this month. Watch this tendency.

TRY TO PREPARE YOURSELF FOR A PERIOD OF seclusion and close attention to private matters or problems before this month is over. You will particularly desire a chance to study and think things over after your ruling planet, Mercury, changes signs during the middle of the first week of April. However, this tendency will be most strong from the 20th to the end of the month. The New Moon on the 29th helps you find an improved viewpoint, a chance for a fresh start in resolving difficulties.

GEMINI'S DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

1st Mon. Some special attention given to business income or returns from your profession or occupation will be rewarding by midafternoon. Avoid self-undoing tonight.

2nd Tu. You have a good chance to catch up with unfinished matters, neglected personal problems, if you focus attention on the right things this day and evening.

3rd Wed. Some worthwhile developments can result from talking things over with friends, neighbors, or relatives. You find the way out of a difficulty. Gain extra rest in P.M.

4th Th. Now the Moon in your Sign spells a chance for you to forge ahead aggressively with matters of the moment. Watch out for temper or strain in late P.M.

5th Fri. Your influence will be strongly felt by those around you. Be wary of involvement in any schemes or unusual deals. Wait for more information, clarification.

6th Sat. Aspects to Mercury show you somewhat under strain, tense, or upset. Calm down and concentrate on good financial opportunities, a chance to gain desired items.

7th SUN. You may find your pocketbook under stress before this day is over. Try to keep a careful eye on cash and valuables to avert loss or trouble.

8th Mon. You make good progress in economic matters this morning. Take care of accounts that need attention. Relationships with others are puzzling tonight. Be wary.

9th Tu. Mars opposition Saturn indicates the possibility of fatigue and strain. Try to get around and see people on a friendly, neighborly basis to overcome tension.

10th Wed. Don't be surprised if you change your mind more than once about events or people. The evening brings an accent upon home and family that is constructive.

11th Th. The early morning is best for settlements of a domestic nature. Later aspects show crosscurrents and sensitive conditions in the family circle. Be steady.

12th Fri. This forenoon is good for bringing to a conclusion any pending matters of importance. The evening promises enjoyment with loved ones or dear friends.

13th Sat. You seem ready to forge ahead with hobbies and pet interests. Don't let acquaintances cause you difficulty with partners or others. Have some fun.

14th SUN. The Full Moon indicates the possibility of conflicting circumstances where acquaintances and dear ones are concerned. Be loyal to loved ones and children.

15th Mon. You accomplish most by sticking to the job at hand and by avoiding distractions or worries this day and evening. Shun intimate confidences.

16th Tu. Work and employment interests should get top priority. Good results are real-

ized from morning activity. Watch health and diet later in the day.

17th Wed. Your need for allies, partners, may seem very acute. Try to balance all factors, and avoid possible untimely moves. Let others have the initiative.

18th Th. You gain most on the rebound under present aspects, so don't be drawn into action through temper or impatience. Stress cooperation and understanding with others.

19th Fri. Advance necessary borrowing or lending with confidence. You may have some touchy problems to deal with over the next two days. Don't get involved emotionally.

20th Sat. A businesslike approach to joint accounts will bring you excellent results by late afternoon. Let others pay their share of any expenses. Try to retrench.

21st SUN. The Quarter Moon and aspects surrounding it indicate that an upset or a change in plans will be necessary. Avoid concern for the future, any lack of faith.

22nd Mon. You should be pleased with incoming news, calls, or letters at this time. Watch out for impatience and action that can stir up trouble on the home front.

23rd Tu. Your ability to handle affairs of the moment is improved by a good aspect of the Moon and Mars. Don't let differences of belief cause trouble in P.M.

24th Wed. There is a swing upward where your ambitions and business or other aims are at stake. You gain attention from superiors or patrons by late afternoon.

25th Th. Avoid a tendency to let down on duties and responsibilities early today. Seek opportunities to advance business talks or dealings by this evening.

26th Fri. A change of the tide brings an opportunity for some interesting experiences or contacts through friends or others this evening. Forge ahead socially.

27th Sat. This week end promises some very enjoyable experiences with new and old friends or neighbors. Be ready to cooperate in joint activities, affairs of your mate.

28th SUN. Let people know your hopes and wishes, for you now seem destined to meet individuals who can help you realize vital aims. Be sociable. Contact groups you enjoy.

29th Mon. The New Moon will probably encourage you to concentrate on neglected matters or personal problems that need attention. Don't overlook need for rest.

30th Tu. You have an excellent series of aspects for giving or obtaining needed assistance. Others appreciate your interest in their difficulties or ills.

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CANCER

YOUR APRIL HOROSCOPE

If you were born June 22—July 23

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 10TH HOUSE. IT RULES:

- professional and career activities
- public organizations
- legal affairs
- religion

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- becoming more popular
- being patient
- making superiors notice you
- increasing credit

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- instability
- careless methods
- tardiness
- involvement in problems of others
- failing to use good manners

THIS MONTH STRESSES the impact on your private life of business or other responsibilities, matters which must be given attention.

The keynote for you during April is one highlighting your ambitions, business, occupation, and social achievements. The first four days of the month appear particularly beneficial for taking some step upward on the ladder of success, improving your credit and prestige. The 6th is also favorable in this regard, but more along lines of social life and in connection with work or service responsibilities and

contacts. At the turn of the Moon on the 7th, you may find yourself emotionally disturbed or ultrasensitive to other people and the demands of your position. Watch out for this. Try to be impersonal, detached, in your devotion to duty and superiors. Avoid moodiness and untimely changes.

WE HAVE PREVIOUSLY NOTED SOME STRESS upon your affairs, particularly in connection with business and other interests, which require output of energy on your part in order to avoid possible difficulties, especially around the 9th and 23rd. Try to put on a drive for achievement of important personal aims at the very beginning of the month, for you are then assured advantages and opportunities which can be missing at later dates. Do not let your temper or desires lead you into self-indulgent patterns, any intrigue or other type of activity which can backfire, especially during the second and fourth weeks of April. Do your best to clear away accumulated work projects and problems which have burdened you.

Since the Sun and Venus are elevated planets in your solar horoscope throughout this entire forecast period, you can expect to lead a somewhat charmed life in your dealings with superiors, friends, and others. This influence may be especially marked around the time of the Full Moon on the 14th. However, you are advised to escape carrying your luck beyond the limits of wisdom, especially in dealings with family, elders, parents, or those who could have a reaction upon your prestige and position. Of course, the general picture is one of successful achievement through initiative and charm.

WHERE YOUR FINANCES ARE CONCERNED, there are two influences to be considered. One of these is the Sun; the other is Uranus. From the solar standpoint, the first four days of April encourage benefit through patient application and well-timed dealings. Uranus square Mercury brings a threat of surprising upsets or miscalculations and errors around the 6th. You are again fortunate under the solar influence of the 14th and 18th, but must be wary of unexpected demands or events where your exchequer is concerned on the 21st and 23rd.

CANCER'S DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

noon. Be cautious in order to avoid risks in-
volving money or valuables.
17th Wed. It will be necessary to bear down
hard on work and service interests, but don't
invite excessive fatigue or strain on your health
through wrong diet.
18th Th. Be ready to deal with some problem
connected with your job or the troubles of oth-
ers, but don't let such matters draw you into
unwise moves or wrong action.
19th Fri. The affairs of your mate and others
will be paramount, so don't expect special at-
tention. You gain a lot by studying moves and
strategy of other people.
20th Sat. Benefits can be realized by permitting
your partner or friends to set the pace. A spirit
of cooperation enables you to improve public
relations now.
21st SUN. Venus and the Sun adverse do not
spell much success in advancing social or impor-
tant matters at this time. Try to relax and save
your energies.
22nd Mon. Here is a good day and evening
for attention to personal accounts and resources.
Don't let ambitions or the influence of friends
get you off on tangents.
23rd Tu. Deter drastic action or important
moves, except along lines of correcting past
mistakes. Early afternoon favors solving prob-
lems and adjusting accounts.
24th Wed. Lunar aspects favor your plans and
long-range interests. Others will be in touch
with you by mail or phone. Advance distant
affairs or any vital program.
25th Th. Don't be discouraged if someone
proves unsympathetic towards your proposals
this morning. There will be friendly ears
ready to listen later today.
26th Fri. You should feel that matters are on
the uptrend for you at the moment. Late after-
noon and evening promise achievement and
surprise benefits or gains.
27th Sat. You accomplish much by accenting
duty and work at this time. People in top po-
sitions will be receptive to your appeals or at-
tention. Prestige and credit improve.
28th SUN. You should be well satisfied with
your status this week and where family and
loved ones are concerned. There may be some
change of accent which may create a better so-
cial setup for you in the weeks ahead. Careful-
ly note new acquaintances and contacts.
30th Tu. You seem able to benefit through
group activities and friends this day and eve-
ning. Give some special thought to improving
income from business.

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1st Mon. Moves you make by early afternoon
can advance both your ambitions and financial
interests. Go slow in accepting new acquaint-
ances into your social circle.
2nd Tu. You enjoy some pleasant contacts with
friends or fraternal groups. Give extra thought
to business income and personal resources by
the P.M. Be practical.
3rd Wed. You have much to gain through dis-
cussions with superiors or those important to
your occupation and ambitions. Well-wishers
help you gain an objective.
4th Th. There is a tendency now to withdraw
for the moment in order to take care of ac-
cumulated matters. Rely upon private dealings
to help you solve problems.
5th Fri. Be very cautious in conversation and
writings lest you create difficulties for yourself.
For Mercury is adverse. Seek extra rest and
privacy tonight.
6th Sat. The Moon in your Sign heralds a
change for you to straighten out any matters
which have been confusing or upsetting. Do it
in person. Some change is good.
7th SUN. The Quarter Moon creates conditions
which may make you rather sensitive or moody.
Watch this. Focus attention on responsibilities
and duties.
8th Mon. You feel a change of pace that brings
favorable developments in your personal life
and affairs. Watch money dealings this after-
noon and evening to avert loss.
9th Tu. This is a better day for attention to
anything concerned with your exchequer. You
seem able to raise needed cash or to merit busi-
ness gains.
10th Wed. Developments connected with your
pocketbook move ahead in a satisfactory man-
ner this morning. Afternoon and evening favor
short trips or visits with others.
11th Th. You cannot rely upon decisions made
during this day to be permanent or satisfactory.
Better bide your time, and go slow in all rela-
tionships. Deter travel.
12th Fri. A fortunate Jupiter aspect helps you
in contacts and relationships this morning. Bet-
ter judgment is stimulated. Evening is fine for
home and family doings.
13th Sat. There is a good accent upon the do-
mestic side of your affairs. Stick close to home
base or seek the company of elders. Avoid
overreaching with ambitions.
14th SUN. The Full Moon may create a lot of
activity around your base of operations and
bring some special accent upon both home and
business affairs. Loved ones need attention.
15th Mon. Be understanding with those you
hold dear to avert bickering, misunderstandings,
and work interests.
16th Tu. Don't be troubled if some of your
favorite aims are not realized by this after-



LEO

YOUR APRIL HORÓSCOPE

If you were born July 24—August 23

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 9TH HOUSE. IT RULES:

- relatives, in-laws
- intellectual pursuits
- changing viewpoints
- plans for the future

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- considering another's ideas
- making long-range plans
- being honest with yourself
- accepting the decisions of others

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- wasting energy
- not preventing losses
- damaging the property of others
- letting doubt interfere
- hysterical reactions

THIS MONTH STRESSES an increased output of energy in regard to business income and social life, affairs of friends.

There are many planets high in the heavens of your solar chart during this portion of the year, indicating a growing desire for recognition and extension of your professional or business affairs. Try to get plans set early in the month, if possible, for this seems a good time to make permanent decisions or arrangements that rely upon the cooperation or agreement of others. Your ruling planet is the Sun, and it is now strongly placed in its aspect to

your Sign. However, the planet Uranus is transiting Leo, and this makes some negative configurations on the 6th, 21st, and 23rd. Mark these as dates when you should be wary of getting off on tangents, becoming upset or temperamental, in your dealings with others.

THE TURN OF THE MOON ON THE 7TH AND the Full Moon of the 14th will be significant for you and your interests. Do not allow emotions or reactions from others to get you off on tangents at these times. An appeal to your feelings may need very careful judgment around the end of the first and second weeks of April. Endeavor to keep relationships on an even keel and to avoid commitments on the spur of the moment which may later prove unwise. The Sun conjunct Venus in mid-month indicates that this may be one of your best periods for social life and business gains. There is an increased emphasis upon educational matters, religion and philosophy, distant affairs or travel. It might be a time to take a restful trip or at least to plan something along these lines.

In money matters, the planets Mercury and Jupiter must be considered vital for you at this time. Neither of these indicators shows important progress where finances are concerned during April. Instead, there are signs of outlay, increased expenses, and rash action or extravagance, especially around the 23rd, unless you are very careful. Our best advice would be a recommendation for increased attention to the budget, greater emphasis upon collections, and a preparation to meet added expenses, if necessary, especially around the 5th, 6th, 13th, 14th, 23rd, and 25th.

TOWARDS THE END OF APRIL, THERE WILL BE a new accent upon business interests, ambitions, and relations with family, superiors. Your best judgment in these affairs is exercised around the 18th and 29th. You could make some mistakes and get off on wrong angles on the 21st and 23rd. Try to keep clear of emotional people and cross-currents at these times. Your interests are on the uptrend throughout this month, but you must avoid pitfalls due to emotions or money problems. The New Moon on the 29th helps you focus attention on worthwhile practical aims and business matters.

LEO'S DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

1st Mon. You should be able to see a new scope where your future and plans are at stake. Evening brings conditions calling for much tact to avert misunderstandings.

2nd Tu. You should be in the mood to advance your business and professional interests in a practical manner. Top people appreciate attention and the discharge of duties.

3rd Wed. Important news seems to be shaping up, so look for calls or letters that are worth your attention. Advance career, and expect gratifying gains by evening.

4th Th. You have much to expect through old connections and matters on which you have spent considerable time. Experience counts. Let friends be helpful.

5th Fri. An adverse Mercury suggests extra caution in money dealings, correspondence, and trade at the moment. Carefully evaluate new-found acquaintances.

6th Sat. You must be wary of letting temperament or impulsive words cause you difficulty. Much is gained by keeping in the background and resting this week end.

7th SUN. The turn of the Moon suggests caution in letting other people know your problems or plans. There is lack of sympathy or understanding indicated.

8th Mon. This morning favors cleaning up some necessary duties or neglected jobs. You have the spotlight later, but must be careful to show poise and tolerance.

9th Tu. Some excellent aspects are in force during the late morning and P.M. hours, so push ahead with personal projects. See others. Be patient with loved ones.

10th Wed. Your influence counts a great deal in affairs of the moment, especially during the forenoon. Look for a chance to gain or acquire new possessions.

11th Th. You will want to be careful about money moves during most of the day and evening. Do something to square accounts and bolster ready cash, if necessary.

12th Fri. There are helpful influences where your pocketbook is concerned with lucky breaks shown. Use the P.M. to improve understanding with kin and neighbors.

13th Sat. This is a good day and evening for cementing contacts with folks around you, friends and loved ones. Curb ego and extravagant impulses in the P.M.

14th SUN. The Full Moon is a sensitive period for relationships, so be careful to maintain harmony and avoid emotional moves or decisions, especially in the forenoon.

15th Mon. You have a good chance to settle some matters by sticking close to your base of operations today. Don't let domestic bickering spoil the evening hours.

16th Tu. Try to fall in line with the mood of those around your locale, even if they seem

sensitive and unappreciative. Don't force untimely showdowns in the afternoon.

17th Wed. You should be ready to give time, effort, and attention to your loved ones or children who may now feel some sense of lack or depression.

18th Th. Events of the moment may put a check upon your desire for freedom and action. Accept this as a blessing in disguise, and watch out for money risks.

19th Fri. Excellent progress will be realized in your working environment where you seem to be well received and appreciated now. Cur-tail social activities.

20th Sat. There is continued need to be wary of problems in connection with sociability. You benefit by a willingness to help others deal with their problems and work.

21st SUN. The turn of the Moon and other aspects mark this as a day and evening requiring emotional poise and detachment. Defer to your mate. Shun inharmony.

22nd Mon. Others will appreciate your understanding and cooperation. Try to avoid any show of temperament or uncalled for independence. Be ready to heed good counsel.

23rd Tu. Find ways and means of stepping up collaboration with your mate, friends, and others. Don't be disturbed by contrary people or negative reactions.

24th Wed. Now you should take steps to straighten out accounts and advance necessary borrowing or lending with confidence. Mutual money affairs show a profit.

25th Th. You have much to gain by being patient and tactful in your financial dealings with other people. Don't let overoptimism mar economic judgment tonight.

26th Fri. If you have been awaiting decisions from others, this is a time to expect results. Your judgment improves, and the future looks brighter. Expect surprises.

27th Sat. Today's transits step up your interest in those afar, travel, and relationships. There should be increased news or calls that provide you pleasure.

28th SUN. This is a good day to advance your interest in religion, philosophy, and higher learning. Be ready to note what others say and decide. Show faith.

29th Mon. The New Moon brings a down-to-earth attitude and renewed interest in career or business activities. Expect little from the social side of life.

30th Tu. Discussions this forenoon can bring advantages where your ambitions and finances are concerned. You are lucky in dealing with patrons and top people.

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VIRGO

YOUR APRIL HOROSCOPE

If you were born Aug. 24—Sept. 23

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 8TH HOUSE. IT RULES:

- inheritances
- your assets
- things borrowed or lent
- activities involving others

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- keeping matters to yourself
- revamping your routines
- economizing
- taking stock of your potentials

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- loss through not meeting obligations
- telling others of your ideas
- lack of perception in business
- resisting changes
- not listening to advice

THIS MONTH STRESSES a renewed drive where your business, career, and credit interests are concerned. Don't overreach yourself.

During April, there is a concentration of planets which helps you revitalize many of your interests, particularly along lines connected with money tie-ups with others, joint finances and accounts. Be ready to take inventory of where you stand. For the most part, others will be generous in their reactions and attitudes if you seek their help or support. Since Mars is the most elevated planet in your solar

chart, there will be an intensified desire for achievement and recognition. Your best success along these lines could come during the very early days of the month, even by the 2nd. Watch out for negative reactions from the home front, parents or elders, around the 9th, and the possibility of inviting trouble with superiors, important people, around the 23rd, if you evade duties.

JUPITER IS NOW A PROTECTIVE INFLUENCE where you and your affairs are concerned. However, it can easily make you overoptimistic, too self-confident or lazy, in your approach to things. Don't let this trend set in, particularly during the fourth week of the month. Instead, you should use your present drive and luck to get ahead in the world and to put yourself on a more sound footing. The first four days of April favor some settlement of economic or domestic and other matters through the help of parents, family, or elders. On the 7th, there is a chance for stirring up financial or other difficulties through emotional, unreliable friends.

Be wary in your associations around the 7th, 13th, and 14th, also again on the 21st, lest you be drawn into activities or commitments which will bring added problems. Mid-April is good for money affairs, especially at the time of the New Moon on the 14th, if you concentrate on such interests and endeavor to raise needed funds or to smooth out desired transactions. Some compromise may be necessary or you will need cooperation, assistance, counsel, which should be readily accepted. Mercury, your ruling planet, shows increased correspondence or possible journeys some time this month.

MANY PLANETS ARE ABOVE THE HORIZON OF your solar horoscope during April. This affords you a chance to bring your abilities to the attention of others in a strong way. Be ready to pour energies into business or professional activities. Top people appreciate your enterprise and drive. However, you must avoid being too tough on subordinates or those less well placed than yourself. Towards the end of the month, there is a New Moon on the 29th which increases your optimism and interest in those afar, increased knowledge, religion or philosophy.

VIRGO'S DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

1st Mon. Developments now bring you a chance to improve your money relations with others. Friends can give you a good angle on things if you consult them.

2nd Tu. If plans were disrupted yesterday, you will see things smooth out now. Strengthen ties through social activity and friendly contacts. Finances benefit.

3rd Wed. You should be well pleased with the reception your proposals get from others today. The outlook is good for dealings with those afar. Optimism mounts.

4th Th. You begin to focus renewed attention upon your occupation and career interests. There is a strong desire for recognition and achievement.

5th Fri. Mercury adverse shows a need for you to be careful of your health and personal interests. Avoid schemes and any deceptions. Maintain your integrity.

6th Sat. Mercury square Uranus is an aspect of tension and unexpected developments. Be poised and cautious. Cultivate sympathetic, congenial friends.

7th SUN. Acquaintances may display a hypersensitive side of their disposition. Don't expect too much from midday social life. The evening is much more gratifying.

8th Mon. Be ready to meet some problems this afternoon and evening without allowing yourself to become worried or upset. Someone in distress may need emergency help.

9th Tu. Mars opposition Saturn shows financial stress of some kind, but today's good aspects help you find your way out of difficulties in a harmonious manner.

10th Wed. You play the role of a good samaritan in some important case this morning. Others appreciate your interest and help. The P.M. favors you a great deal.

11th Th. Your personality is vital to successful dealings, but watch out for moodiness, impatience, or a worrisome attitude in the afternoon and evening hours.

12th Fri. Jupiter and the Moon favor your interests, and this is a lucky combination in many ways. Advance your money affairs in a harmonious way this P.M.

13th Sat. You have much to gain by being attentive to accounts, the budget, necessary buying or selling. Don't let partners or others disrupt your affairs.

14th SUN. The Full Moon is sure to bring added emphasis where economic affairs and money ties with others are concerned. Be ready to balance accounts.

15th Mon. The daylight hours are best for dealings with others. Distrust evening discussions or decisions. You will change your mind or attitude if you make commitments.

16th Tu. Don't expect much from afternoon trips or visits. You accomplish most in the

early morning. Tonight favors home and family interests and activities.

17th Wed. There may be a need for you to spend considerable time around your base of operations, home, or office. Give elders special consideration, especially tonight.

18th Th. This is not a good time to force issues or seek showdowns. Swing with the tide, and let nature take its course where possible. You gain indirectly.

19th Fri. Circumstances provide you a chance for added recreation, enjoyment of hobbies. Be mindful of any unsettled financial conditions around you.

20th Sat. Arrange to take advantage of opportunities for pursuit of pleasure with loved ones and children. Don't lay too much stress on social doings, parties.

21st SUN. The outlook is not favorable for entertaining or pursuit of romance, so stick to tried and true routines. Avoid indisposition by following a proper diet in P.M.

22nd Mon. You may find yourself involved with problems of others unless you were wary last night. Find a way to concentrate on your job and business affairs.

23rd Tu. A progressive approach to work and service interests will carry you far in gaining recognition from the right people for your efforts. Give thought to health.

24th Wed. Affairs of your partner, mate, and associates should have precedence. They can help you make the right moves if you are cooperative. Be adaptable.

25th Th. Look out for early morning moodiness in others which can create domestic or other problems. Your ability for teamwork aids progress by late afternoon.

26th Fri. The outlook is good for profiting through mutual deals or partnerships. Others are generous and ready to share any expenses of the moment. Be receptive.

27th Sat. Some attention to personal accounts will help you reevaluate your assets and talents. Plan a conservative program that will build family security.

28th SUN. Today's influences are excellent for revitalizing affairs and bolstering confidence in what you already possess. The answer to business or personal problems is seen.

29th Mon. The New Moon may well alter your view of the future and relations with those at a distance. It also steps up a desire for knowledge and travel.

30th Tu. Incoming mail or calls should provide you satisfaction this day and evening. Other people are now in the mood to make their views known.

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LIBRA

YOUR APRIL HOROSCOPE

If you were born Sept. 24—Oct. 23

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 7TH HOUSE. IT RULES:

- cooperation
- health and diet
- marriage partner
- change of locale

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- letting your mate take the lead
- pushing group endeavors
- showing a friendly, cooperative spirit
- bolstering your relationships with others

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- underestimating other people
- dogmatic attitudes
- losing face with those you value
- inattention to work
- improper diets

THIS MONTH STRESSES an intensified desire for accomplishment where your proposed projects and long-range aims are concerned.

During April, you must be prepared for special emphasis upon your public relations and a need to give your mate and others their share of the spotlight. Do not be troubled if there is some series of setbacks to your ego. This is a testing time when you must show your true capacity for cooperation, teamwork, and understanding of others. The early days of the month are very good for achieving any desired rapprochement with people you

deem valuable as partners or allies. In fact, the entire first six days of April help you cement ties, especially with those you have known in the past. This part of the forecast period is recommended for reaching permanent understandings and reliable, conservative decisions.

THE PLANET SATURN IN ITS PRESENT POSITION shows that relations with others are assuming new depths and importance for you as this month begins. Bring all your experience into play in order to improve worthwhile bonds of understanding and affection. Watch the turn of the Moon on the 7th for a possible challenge to your emotions, prestige, and business or career aims. Don't expect others to be reliable in their support or attention then. Approaching the Full Moon of the 14th, your ruling planet Venus comes to a conjunction with the Sun, and this is beneficial if you use it to improve your connections with others. It can work against you if emotions, personal moves, are allowed to dominate any situation of the moment.

The 17th is a good date for dealings with friends and congenial groups with whom you are affiliated. This same part of the month indicates a strong desire on your part for friendly understandings. One of the most tricky portions of this forecast period seems to be centered around the 19th, 21st, and 23rd. Keep a watchful eye on things then, particularly in connection with your pocketbook, joint money interests, or economic dealings with friends and others. You may be faced with complications, deceptions, and upsetting circumstances as the fourth week of the month begins.

APPROACHING THE END OF APRIL, YOU WILL be wise to reevaluate all your monetary commitments and arrangements carefully so that you are not put at a disadvantage by unscrupulous people or adverse circumstances. If you do this with a careful eye to your own interests, you should approach the period of the New Moon of the 29th with an improved sense of security and control of your own assets and resources. The opportunity to capitalize on your talents improves now, but you must watch out for fatigue and pressure. Get extra rest.

LIBRA'S DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

1st Mon. Allow others to take the initiative, and you will be satisfied with developing circumstances, especially where friends or your mate may be concerned.

2nd Tu. There is a strong emphasis upon your money ties with other people, personal resources, and accounts. Take action now to iron out differences and achieve harmony.

3rd Wed. There is a strong accent upon practical, down-to-earth business affairs with a good chance for solving problems. Others are generous, willing to spend.

4th Th. Be ready to follow the lead of your mate or advisors at this time. They will know best how you can strengthen relationships and get ahead through teamwork.

5th Fri. Be careful to double check news and writings lest errors or deception come into the picture. Keep plans subject to change in P.M., if necessary.

6th Sat. You should feel a sense of stability and harmony in relations with elders, parents, home folks. Don't let bickering or wrong ideas upset things.

7th SUN. The turn of the Moon makes it necessary for you to display a sense of duty or give attention to business for part of this day. Evening boosts your prestige.

8th Mon. You have a good chance this morning to forward business and professional interests by seeing the right people. Be wary with new-found friends in the P.M.

9th Tu. You gain improved perspective on acquaintances and social ties during the late morning and evening hours. Seek to improve earnings from business.

10th Wed. It will be wise for you to stay out of the limelight and take care of private affairs or needs of others who may be ill or in want. Show charity.

11th Th. Do nothing to betray your own best interests, especially in dealings with people around you, in-laws or kin. Wait for better conditions before acting.

12th Fri. By midafternoon, you will feel an increased restlessness and a desire for change and attention. Bring personality into play to win friends and gain objectives.

13th Sat. It is your time to seek attention and advance your affairs through a display of initiative and courage. Action will count. Shun extravagance and overconfidence.

14th SUN. The Full Moon calls for a balancing of forces and aims with your mate and others who may now be in a soft, amicable mood. Strive for compromise and teamwork.

15th Mon. Don't let emotions guide your money dealings with others this day or evening lest misunderstandings or errors crop up. Show resourcefulness and stability.

16th Tu. Midmorning is your best opportunity for necessary financial adjustments, payments or

collections. Later aspects indicate petty problems or disappointments.

17th Wed. Don't allow your mind to dwell upon past grievances or problems involving kin and neighbors. Develop a sense of patience and humor. Defer decisions.

18th Tr. This is not recommended as a time for important travel, even short visits, for adverse emotional and other conditions prevail. Do a lot of listening.

19th Fri. There is a desire now for closer bonds with home, family, and your locale. Domestic matters work out well if you let events take a natural course. Curb emotions.

20th Sat. There is some stress upon your feelings and attachments about now which will require poise and caution to avert upsets. Enjoy home and family activities.

21st SUN. You may not feel up to par if you have allowed yourself to exceed a proper schedule in social life or other matters. Take care of health. Curb pleasures.

22nd Mon. A more relaxed time prevails where your dealings with loved ones and pursuit of hobbies or pet interests are concerned. Shun risks or temperamental persons.

23rd Tu. Some of those you hold dear will display signs of temperament, unfriendliness. Don't lose your perspective. Shun risks and extravagance at every turn.

24th Wed. Here is a good day to concentrate upon talks, employment and service interests, your pets and dependents. Those with problems seek help and counsel.

25th Th. Double check your diet and schedule if you feel indisposed early today. Some good progress can be made with present work during the forenoon and afternoon hours.

26th Fri. Once again there is an accent upon other people and their interests which you must heed. Deal warily with headstrong individuals. Remain poised.

27th Sat. The chance to benefit through friends and your mate or allies is very strong now. Let them set the pace. Be ready to follow and cooperate willingly.

28th SUN. Public relations are on the uptrend if you are doing your part to make others feel your interest in them and their affairs. Get out, meet people, and enjoy activities.

29th Mon. The New Moon brings a change of attitude and much emphasis upon practical, financial affairs, both yours and those of others. Take stock of accounts.

30th Tu. If you have looked over your resources, it will be obvious that you have much to be thankful for where assets are concerned. Forward needed borrowing or lending.

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SCORPIO

YOUR APRIL HOROSCOPE

If you were born Oct. 24—Nov. 22

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 6TH HOUSE. IT RULES:

- people who work under you
- your eating habits
- everyday routines
- basic necessities

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- caring for your health
- getting enough rest
- adding to your wardrobe
- recognizing opportunities to gain

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- misunderstandings with in-laws
- criticizing fellow workers
- trusting unworthy people
- too much pride
- dogmatic attitudes with superiors

THIS MONTH STRESSES efforts you make to rejuvenate your affairs and increase security in partnership and economic setups.

April always brings you an improved opportunity to better your position in the world through work and service matters. There is also a strong accent upon health, co-workers, and pet or dependents. This year, you have some splendid aspects in force to aid you in your quest for achievement and gain. There is a particularly good aspect operating for your interests during the very early days of the month, so get busy then to take action

and see people with the hope of remuneration and accomplishment. It would be a mistake to let daydreaming or emotional attitudes regarding plans or the future get you off on any tangents that can imperil efficiency at the turn of the Moon on the 7th. You must watch out for the possibility of untimely money moves, financial stress, on the 9th and 13th.

THE FULL MOON ON THE 14TH HOLDS promise of some easing up of your business or work problems, but there is still a necessity for you to balance accounts where your private affairs are concerned. You seem to make excellent headway with business and career matters during the third week of April. Be wary, however, of letting anything get out of hand where money relations with others are concerned. Try to hold borrowing or lending to a minimum, and be ready to meet payments that are due in a timely way. There is sure to be some stress upon your pocket-book, both in connection with taxes and other phases relating to your exchequer this month.

Despite the emphasis we have placed upon your money affairs, the present position of Jupiter in your solar horoscope and its aspect to your Sun-Sign assure you lucky breaks and help through friends or business income that should soon enable you to feel ahead of the game economically. Be very cautious of how you react to other people, socially and businesswise, around the 19th to 23rd. Take some cues from your mate or others, if necessary, in order to maintain the right balance and attitude towards those with whom you must deal. The New Moon on the 29th strengthens public relations.

THROUGHOUT APRIL, THERE IS A GROWING emphasis upon the importance of partners and allies in your affairs. You should, therefore, be mentally alert and amenable to such ties as are likely to prove promising and profitable where you are concerned. As previously indicated, the first days of the month may provide you the best clues in this connections. However, you may also find the period around the 14th, 17th, and 18th of further importance in this respect. Try to defer decisions during the fourth week of April.

SCORPIO'S DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

1st Mon. Good progress in work and business interests is realized by early afternoon. Be wary with headstrong people. Others are stubborn and contrary tonight. Be cautious.

2nd Tu. There is a strong accent upon partners and interests of other people at the moment which you should recognize. Don't force issues. Seek cooperation.

3rd Wed. The need for harmony in public relations or marital affairs is very strong. You have good aspects for joint effort with friends and partners during the day.

4th Th. A change of pace may cause you to give special thought and attention to personal and partnership money affairs. The possibility of improving cash reserves is good.

5th Fri. Mercury adverse warns you to be cautious in trade and communications lest there be deceptions or confusion in understanding. Remain secretive. Bide your time.

6th Sat. News and discussions can bring upsets, but also important revelations. Be cautious. Allow for better planning from midday onward. Let others decide.

7th SUN. You may not find people receptive to some of your beliefs or proposals during the forenoon and early afternoon hours. Wait for evening to bring a friendlier setup.

8th Mon. Business and duty take priority and may keep you under tension by afternoon and evening. Protect health and interests by avoiding strain and curbing temper.

9th Tu. This is a better day for ironing out what may have seemed adverse circumstances involving your job, business, or relationships. Popularity improves in P.M.

10th Wed. You will want and need the interests of friends and congenial groups where your affairs are concerned at this time. Cultivate those who seemed worth knowing.

11th Th. Proceed with caution with matters involving your pocketbook, resources, or money commitments. Don't expect much from well-wishers, newfound friends.

12th Fri. The early morning opens your eyes to wise moves that will help advance work interests and solve problems linked with service, needs of others.

13th Sat. Plan a restful day and evening, but don't overlook the need for attention to affairs you have neglected. Keep an eye on cash and valuables. Watch expenses.

14th SUN. The Full Moon marks a period when you should prepare for some balancing of accounts that will improve business and work conditions for you.

15th Mon. The Moon in your Sign makes you sensitive and moody. Don't invite bickering with your mate or others by negative reactions during the evening.

16th Tu. You have the planets in your favor for advancing necessary contacts relating to

your exchequer and friendships. Don't let ego or sensitive feelings create trouble.

17th Wed. Serious consideration should now be given to your economic setup and needs. Try to make headway with economies, better budgeting. Bargains attract you.

18th Th. This is not a good time to make moves that involve risk, extravagance, or the possibility of costly reactions from others. Correct past errors regarding finances.

19th Fri. Your mind is keen, and you show diplomacy in relations with others. Expect to change your mind more than once about things and people. Defer decisions.

20th Sat. The social picture is complicated at this time, so be wary of misplacing affections or gestures. Strengthen understanding with kin, neighbors, and partners.

21st SUN. A series of crosscurrents marks this as a sensitive day and evening, especially where home and domestic interests are at stake. Try to be aloof, impersonal.

22nd Mon. You may find things working out better if you remained neutral in home matters yesterday. Be conservative regarding work, money, and business affairs.

23rd Tu. Some upsetting people or conditions have to be met and dealt with by a display of poise and stability. Take care of home and office interests with courage.

24th Wed. The desire for pleasure and freedom increases, with a good chance for enjoying yourself during the day and evening. Don't expect too much from late P.M. discussions.

25th Th. The early morning shows some let-down in your mood which may be due to economic pressures or fatigue. Get set to review agreements and accounts.

26th Fri. Don't look for much from efforts to court favor this forenoon. You gain most by service and helpfulness to others during the P.M. hours. Improve diet.

27th Sat. You will want to give some special attention to your health and wardrobe under the good aspects in force this week end. Other people seek your counsel.

28th SUN. You show a willingness to be helpful and generous with your services. Some recognition can be expected by evening. Dependents and pets need care.

29th Mon. The New Moon brings a change of tide which puts other people in the limelight. Rely on your mate and associates for guidance under these conditions.

30th Tu. Try to see things as others view them, and all will be well. Welcome aid of partners and friends. Their initiative can bring better relationships.

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SAGITTARIUS

YOUR APRIL HOROSCOPE

If you were born Nov. 23—Dec. 21

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 5TH HOUSE. IT RULES:

- entertaining others
- your romances
- those you love
- creative abilities

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- strengthening family ties
- being loyal in affection
- indulging in pastimes
- having faith in the future

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- becoming too tired
- showing temper with family
- not showing your affection
- doing things too quickly

THIS MONTH STRESSES a need for balancing patience with aggressive tactics in public relations and affairs to protect interests.

In the Spring of the year, the transiting Sun forms a favorable aspect to your Sun-Sign, and this is usually accompanied by a sense of increased confidence and freedom, especially where your important pet objectives are concerned. The affairs of children and loved ones take on a new importance for you now. There is a greater desire for recreation and liberty. At the

same time, during this month of April we find Mars opposing your Sun-Sign, from which angle there can come aggravating circumstances which test your patience, generosity, and diplomacy, especially when Mars is afflicted to other planets on the 9th and 23rd. The elevated position of Jupiter helps you come out on top.

THE EARLY DAYS OF APRIL ARE YOUR BEST for strengthening ties with others, exercising your authority, and improving bonds of affection. You should experience some gratifying display of attention from dear ones or a chance to enjoy yourself in timely fashion around the 2nd to 6th. There is need on the 7th, at the turn of the Moon, to look out for emotional reactions in money dealings with others, any affairs concerned with joint accounts, taxes, payments or collections. The middle of April is marked by a Full Moon on the 14th, when the Sun is conjunct Venus. This can be a very sociable and important period for you, with particular emphasis upon friends, group interests, parties, and entertainment projects.

The third week of this month is not recommended for heavy stress upon pleasures and social doings, for some adverse transits are in force, especially on the 19th and 21st. You may find this a good time to reevaluate plans and long-range objectives to bring things in proper line with work or health conditions. Don't let down in important endeavors where your job or service interests are concerned. As you approach the last ten days of the month, there is increased emphasis upon workaday affairs, matters concerned with fellow employers, your health, dependents and pets.

YOU CANNOT AFFORD TO LET AGGRAVATIONS or temperament get you off on wrong tangents in dealings with others during the fourth week of April, particularly around the 23rd. This is a touchy period for all concerned, and you should be very cautious to stress duties, credit, and responsibilities without relying upon others for important help or support. They seem almost certain to let you down or to disrupt your schedule unless you are very guarded. The New Moon on the 29th helps you unify work effort and other affairs.

SAGITTARIUS' DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

1st Mon. Make the most of today's opportunities for advancing your plans and pet interests. Evening warns of a need for caution in diet and activities in order to avoid upsets.

2nd Tu. There is a strong accent upon work interests, and you seem to make progress with tasks. Don't let others disrupt your evening with petty problems.

3rd Wed. Pay attention to suggestions from your partner or superiors. Work gains you recognition by evening. Experience will tell and bring you rewarding acknowledgments.

4th Th. Try to pull out of your shell and let others see the congenial, adaptable side of your nature. Partners lead the way into a very active evening.

5th Fri. You must be ready to curb emotional reactions in public relations and partnership dealings at this time. Rely on social, harmonizing influences to prevail.

6th Sat. Mercury adverse indicates that partners and others are under tension or upset. Try to be understanding. You gain through allowing others to treat this P.M.

7th SUN. Take stock of your accounts and talents without allowing negative views to prevail. Don't invite a drain upon your strength or resources. The P.M. is good.

8th Mon. The forenoon is best for collections and payments, any attention to mutual money affairs. Look for plans to change or be upset in some way tonight.

9th Tu. Incoming news or messages, letters from those afar, can prove cheering and enlightening. Let people know your program and heart's desires by tonight.

10th Wed. You will find the afternoon and evening best for gaining recognition from the right people. Your capacity for analysis and discrimination pays off.

11th Th. This seems like a time when you must keep your attention focused on important duties and challenging conditions. Don't get side-tracked. Show faith.

12th Fri. You should be satisfied with a boost in prestige or business accomplishments that comes your way. A change of trend makes friends, social life, active in P.M.

13th Sat. This week end spotlights group interests and your contacts with acquaintances, but be prepared for petty problems in realizing vital heart's desires.

14th SUN. The Full Moon calls for judgment and stability in handling loved ones, children, and friends. Be steady in your affection and loyalties. Curb pleasures.

15th Mon. This is a good period of the month for taking time out from normal activities so that you can reevaluate your private affairs and accumulated problems.

16th Tu. Skip any bickering around evening. This is no time to betray personal problems or

weaknesses. The late P.M. helps you gain through strategy.

17th Wed. Refuse to let fears and doubts motivate you, even if others display selfish motives or lack of appreciation. You need rest and a chance to meditate.

18th Th. The Moon in your Sign is favorable, but there are signs of emotional, sensitive reactions in your dealings with others. Be sure of your ground before moving ahead.

19th Fri. The outlook is promising for money matters and attention to belongings. Your sense of economy and timing should help you gain in some manner.

20th Sat. Carefully note news and ideas that reach you, for they may contain the seeds of profit or advantages to your exchequer. Advance necessary trading or buying.

21st SUN. A series of adverse aspects suggests making this a day of rest. Exercise much caution in relations with kin or neighbors during afternoon and evening hours.

22nd Mon. If you have been pondering some decisions which must be made, this is the day when you can think clearly even though major planets challenge permanent deals.

23rd Tu. Act fast on matters which provide you a chance for strengthening alliances or benefiting through relationships in the early afternoon. Today brings surprises.

24th Wed. You are able to strengthen ties with family and home folks at this time. See where parents or elders will benefit from your efforts and attention.

25th Th. Something can end well if you let your mate and others work things out without restraint. Don't force your luck for showdowns in the late P.M.

26th Fri. The evening seems to be a good time for you to let people know your main objectives and beliefs. There can be surprise events through loved ones.

27th Sat. This should be a happy day and evening. Seek to obtain heart's desires through initiative. Your perseverance and daring will win objectives and respect.

28th SUN. The week end continues to be pleasurable, and you have a chance to court favor with people important to your interests or heart's desires. Be courageous.

29th Mon. The New Moon brings you down to earth, perhaps with a thud, as you meet service, job problems. Steady application to vital matters will put you to the fore.

30th Tu. This seems like a fine day and evening for strengthening your position with co-workers and superiors. Affairs of pets and dependents may also become paramount.

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CAPRICORN

YOUR APRIL HOROSCOPE

If you were born Dec. 22—Jan. 20

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 4TH HOUSE. IT RULES:

- the end of long-term affairs
- your neighbors
- parental matters
- your surroundings

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- attention to office matters
- being solicitous to older people
- planning for future security
- objectivity

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- disorganized activities
- not caring for your home
- fall-outs with superiors
- interpreting things too personally
- not being tactful

THIS MONTH STRESSES increased work load and much activity in connection with health interests, your dependents or pets.

The Spring season brings a turn of the tide in your affairs which can often result in some real headaches if you fail to swing in the right direction when the crosscurrents manifest along lines of home, office, or community affairs. This year, the very best period for dealing with such matters and getting off on the right angle appears to be around the 4th and 6th, in other words during the first week of the month. By the turn of the Moon on the

7th, you can feel some emotional stress from partners and others. This is a sensitive date, and you should keep public relations on an even keel. Get away from it all if you feel bored or at odds with people. Don't expect much cooperation from them unless you put their interests first.

YOU ARE NOW EXPERIENCING A TURN OF events in your affairs for the year which will eventually lead you into increased freedom and opportunities for creative self-expression, pleasure, and enjoyment of hobbies. You may not, however, feel this trend in full force until late in the current month or during the following thirty days. This is really a time to get well anchored where your home, family, and property interests and security are concerned. You may not be in harmony with a lot of people who come around your base of operations during this interval, but it is to your advantage if you try to see points of interest or possible understanding with them. Don't stick too close to home base if the strain tells upon you. Instead, go out for a while and re-establish your inner calm.

Mid-April is marked by a Full Moon on the 14th and a conjunction of the Sun with Venus on this same date. This can, therefore, prove of importance in connection with both domestic interests and business affairs and prestige. Do not let emotions or negative attitudes create unfavorable circumstances at this time. Instead, you should try to make events rebound to your advantage through a special display of understanding and harmony with those who are vital to your home, family, and other interests.

SATURN, YOUR RULING PLANET, SHOWS some pressure of events in connection with private affairs and long-developing problems which may have to be faced and dealt with in a patient, farsighted way around the 9th, 14th, and 29th. The New Moon on the 29th assures you some special impetus in your efforts to gain favor and to get ahead with important interests. Don't be afraid to buckle down to take care of necessary work, neglected matters, throughout the month, for by this procedure you win a satisfying victory. Late April favors promoting pet objectives.

CAPRICORN'S DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

1st Mon. A sensitive reaction to business affairs and needs of superiors will help you advance through service and talents. Avoid risking money and friendships in P.M.

2nd Tu. Your desire for freedom and a chance to advance your favorite hobbies or interests is quite strong. You seem able to win a point by early evening.

3rd Wed. The outlook is favorable for obtaining patronage and gaining a heart's desire by late afternoon. Advance home and security interests wherever possible.

4th Th. You prove yourself handy in dealing with work or problems of the moment, especially anything involving others. Don't risk errors in diet tonight.

5th Fri. The early morning finds you focusing attention upon important tasks, employment and service matters. You should realize social benefits, a show of affection, in P.M.

6th Sat. This week end puts a strong emphasis upon affairs of your mate and other people. Check up on your routine if you feel indisposed or troubled. Be cooperative.

7th SUN. It won't be easy to understand the mood or attitude of others, but try your best. Refuse to let sensitive feelings disturb your poise or enjoyment.

8th Mon. Something important can be gained through partnership and teamwork this morning. Later hours show a need for caution to preserve resources and save strength.

9th Tu. Here is a good day and evening for giving special attention to joint accounts, for you are now able to benefit through your mate or others in some way.

10th Wed. The late afternoon and evening may bring you desired news or calls, decisions from others, that help advance plans. Show interest in travel and higher learning.

11th Th. It would be a mistake to let unsympathetic people know your aims at this time. The afternoon is a period when you should be very reticent and objective.

12th Fri. Distant matters and affairs of travelers, in-laws, may take priority. P.M. aspects help you move ahead with ambitions. Advance credit and vital proposals.

13th Sat. Good aspects support your efforts to gain attention or adjustments, especially in the afternoon and early evening hours. Patrons will be understanding.

14th SUN. The Full Moon signals a change of pace which may focus major attention upon home or family matters at the moment. Don't let emotions rule reactions.

15th Mon. Friends are very much in the picture, but some of them will need careful checking as concerns their trustworthiness or truthfulness. Be discreet.

16th Tu. You begin to see a clear picture where acquaintances of the moment are concerned.

Plan a quiet, restful evening that will keep you in seclusion.

17th Wed. Much good will come from your undivided attention to organizing private matters along more satisfactory lines. Someone needs your help and sympathy.

18th Th. Don't let emotions govern moves or reactions, for you could easily betray your own best interests if you are unwary. Shun health or work strain.

19th Fri. It is your turn to claim the limelight and become a leader in affairs of the moment. People in your circle welcome any show of initiative and personality.

20th Sat. There is still a good chance for you to capture attention of those in your circle through direct action. Don't let moods or negative feelings govern.

21st SUN. Look out for events which can create trouble over money and belongings this afternoon and evening. Take stock of your position, but avoid concern.

22nd Mon. Here is a day when you can do something constructive to advance matters connected with your pocketbook and private affairs. Raise needed cash.

23rd Tu. Fast, aggressive moves can help you realize profit through your work and business affairs by early afternoon. Don't be misled by rumors, wrong information.

24th Wed. Be ready to reach decisions, and let others know your views. Some matters will change and bring an altered outlook before long. Seek better relations.

25th Th. People around you may feel some chill early today. Try to counteract this by later contacts and discussions. Gather information that will help your affairs.

26th Fri. Late afternoon and evening stimulate new developments on the home front, increased interest in affairs of your community, parents, or elders.

27th Sat. Allow matters to work out naturally, and you will find things winding up on a timely note that operates to your benefit around evening hours. Enjoy family affairs.

28th SUN. The domestic side of your interests continues to be important, and you should stick close to home base for best results. The P.M. favors hospitality and action.

29th Mon. The New Moon can be utilized for strengthening or changing bonds of affection. Affairs of loved ones and children come to the fore to a major degree.

30th Tu. You are ready to make progress with pet aims or hobbies. This is the time to gain patronage or to court favor from those who count in your life and affairs.

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AQUARIUS

YOUR APRIL HOROSCOPE

If you were born Jan. 21—Feb. 19

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 3RD HOUSE. IT RULES:

- communications
- short trips
- increased intellectual activity
- relations with people around home

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- telling others your views
- trying to increase your income
- acting more forcefully
- finding out about new methods

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- ignoring business opportunities
- pride ruling your attitudes
- clinging to outmoded ideas
- handling money carelessly
- indecision

THIS MONTH STRESSES aggressive drives in relationships with kin and loved ones that are aimed at improved self-expression

April is a month which brings you each year a chance to change your mind about important things and people. You now begin to formulate some important decisions in your personal life and affairs which may cause you to strike out along new or different lines, possibly a greater consolidation of present matters. There is an increased desire for short trips and

visits, some of which can prove very beneficial during the first six days of the month, around mid-April (at the time of the Full Moon on the 14th), and when the Sun is trine Pluto on the 18th. The predominance of major planets beneath the horizon shows that you are now bolstering security and building for the future in some way.

THE MOST ELEVATED PLANET IN YOUR SOLAR chart during this interval of the year is Neptune, and its impact upon your affairs can be either positive or negative, depending on how you react to its impulse. Carefully chart your attitudes and reactions when Neptune is under aspects from other planets on the 2nd, 5th, 16th, 18th, 19th, and 21st, if you want some clues to this long-range influence. It should be attracting you to the occult, mystical, and spiritual fields in some way. However, it can also react negatively unless you are cautious regarding any affairs concerned with plots, intrigues, drugs, liquors, and smoking. This might be a good time to run a survey on where you stand in regard to such matters in order to get off on the right tangent for future benefits from this planet.

Mid-April is marked by a Full Moon on the 14th, which coincides with a Sun conjunction Venus. You can, therefore, anticipate a stepping up of interests in your dealings with kin, neighbors, in-laws, or those at a distance around this period. Be willing to let other people air their views and ideas before you react in midmonth. There should be some important alteration in plans and ideas for the future taking shape during this interval of the year. Encourage cooperation, alliances you trust.

THE BEGINNING OF THE FOURTH WEEK IN April is marked by some negative transits which may create difficulties where your home, business, and partnership interests are concerned unless you take the initiative and keep things on an even keel. Social or other misunderstandings can build up, especially around the 19th, 21st, and 23rd. It would be wise to utilize your intelligence and judgment to avert such eventualities. The New Moon on the 29th carries you into a period of greater harmony and understanding with the home folks.

AQUARIUS' DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

1st Mon. There is an uptrend in relationship that improves understanding with others by midafternoon. Keep home life on an even keel, free from tension, in the P.M.

2nd Tu. Let nature show its hand in working out problems of the moment. You benefit by adjusting to family and local conditions. Defer to parents and elders.

3rd Wed. The accent is upon security and matters concerned with your home or office interests. Something works out well by late afternoon. Reach agreements.

4th Th. A sense of freedom enables you to enjoy activities at this time. There will be much action with dear ones or children, particularly during evening hours.

5th Fri. You have a chance to make progress with pet interests and hobbies, particularly by midday, but be wary of money angles, speculation, or misinformation.

6th Sat. There is still need to be cautious concerning news and reports during the forenoon. Others appreciate your willingness to help them with work or problems.

7th SUN. Events bring some strain unless you are careful concerning diet and the burdens you assume from others, including dependents. Protect health.

8th Mon. Let your partner or mate blow off steam if he or she is in the mood to do it. Keep clear of inharmony by remaining calm and showing emotional stability.

9th Tu. This day and evening bring improved conditions with a good chance for gain in public relations, dealings with others. Let them make first moves.

10th Wed. Afternoon and evening provide your best opportunities for profiting through others. Let your mate or associates handle mutual money dealings.

11th Th. This is not recommended as a good time for borrowing or lending. Instead, try to budget and smooth out accounts. Shun inroads on energy or resources.

12th Fri. Efforts to balance accounts bring results this morning. Let others have their say in the P.M. You will be pleased with news, letters, approval of plans.

13th Sat. Let your outlook be known to others, for this is a good time to seek their interest in proposals. The desire for travel and communication with those afar is strong.

14th SUN. The Full Moon may bring some need for balancing accounts in relationships. Be ready to compromise differences of opinion to strengthen ties of affection.

15th Mon. Events bring a need for attention to business and home affairs. Don't let petty arguments or bickering spoil the evening in family activities.

16th Tu. Go out a while if you feel it necessary in order to get away from troublesome people.

Put special emphasis on business and duties during the day.

17th Wed. Friends, both new and old, play an active part in events of the moment. Be patient with those who are in need of encouragement or help. Be sociable.

18th Th. Don't get off on tangents that can upset your personal interests or financial affairs today. Be wary with people you meet for the first time.

19th Fri. Much can be accomplished by a retreat from the limelight. You seem to need time for attention to private matters and neglected tasks. Get extra rest tonight.

20th Sat. Do a lot of listening, and be wary of disclosing your personal problems or shortcomings. Others appreciate your interest in their welfare and health.

21st SUN. Expect little from social doings or romantic interests that arise at this time. Watch out for moodiness in personal relations during afternoon and evening.

22nd Mon. You have better control of your feelings and reactions today. Show people the best side of your personality. Cement friendships wherever possible.

23rd Tu. Allow for stress and strain in all relationships at the moment. Others may feel upset or troubled. Your personality and influence can help a lot to ease matters.

24th Wed. This seems like a fine day for your pocketbook, whether you are buying, selling, or endeavoring to improve earnings. Take steps to gain in some way.

25th Th. Keep an eye on belongings and cash early this morning. Later hours are good for necessary business and money dealings. Shun extravagance in the P.M.

26th Fri. Wait until evening to improve understanding with people around you. Interesting events develop through kin, neighbors, or partners after the dinner hour.

27th Sat. Be willing to alter your opinions of people and circumstances, if necessary. This week end favors short trips and well-planned visits with friends.

28th SUN. Stimulating events benefit your mind and connections with others. You seem able to achieve a new approach to dealings with loved ones or partners.

29th Mon. The New Moon creates a need for down-to-earth attitudes in handling home or property interests. This is no time to be stubborn or moody with the family.

30th Tu. Conditions of the moment bring events that work to your advantage in settlements with those around you. Security is strengthened. Family interests improve.

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PISCES

YOUR APRIL HOROSCOPE

If you were born Feb. 20—March 20

EMPHASIS IS IN YOUR 2ND HOUSE. IT RULES:

- joint endeavors and enterprises
- financial connections and investments
- money you earn and spend
- your economic outlook

YOU ACHIEVE THE GREATEST SUCCESS BY:

- finding things with hidden values
- trying to increase your paycheck
- other ways of making money
- looking over your budget

YOU SHOULD AVOID:

- hesitating to take action
- bad personal relations
- uncertainty about decisions
- spending too much
- mixing business and personal transactions

THIS MONTH STRESSES financial and other repercussions related to the home front, money and property affairs. Skip showdowns with key people.

This month, you can expect some enlightenment where your money interests are at stake, especially during the first part of this period and around the time of the Full Moon on the 14th. You should be prepared to take full advantage of economic opportunities that come your way on the 2nd, 4th, or 6th. The influences after this period promise to pose some problems which may create difficulties for you unless there is a display of confidence

and initiative. Do not overlook a chance to consult patrons or authorities if you find yourself at a loss on what to do. The general picture is one for gain and improvement if you keep your head and take the initiative with the right people at the right moment.

THE ELEVATED POSITION OF SATURN in your solar chart indicates that you have now reached a point in your life where mature considerations begin to bring you attention and rewards in business or other circles that affect your prestige and credit. There is no reason for you to feel downhearted or depressed. Actually, those at the top, parents or elders, feel a real need for your views and services. The year 1957 should be notable for you as it brings an opportunity to take some long-deserved step upward on the ladder of success in your business and career interests. Old friends may well contribute to this advancement. It would be a mistake for you to let fears, resentments, or any attitude of defeat overtake your consciousness.

The turn of the Moon on the 7th inclines you to be overly emotional and extravagant in your handling of personal money interests and in dealings with children and loved ones. Watch out for this. Try to be detached and impersonal. It is a poor time for accepting risks or necessary outlay. The Full Moon on the 14th occurs at a time when the Sun is conjunct Venus in a financial angle of your solar wheel. This means that midmonth will be exceptionally important for developments concerned with your pocketbook, especially where money ties with others, taxes, and joint income are concerned.

SINCE NEPTUNE IS ONE OF YOUR RULING planets in company with Jupiter, the adverse transits to both of these stars around the 19th, 21st, and 23rd urge you to proceed with caution in all personal contacts and commitments until the picture clarifies. You gain much by biding your time and seeking the truth. Don't be taken in by schemes, intrigues, or upsetting conditions. The New Moon on the 29th helps you bring things down to earth where you can properly evaluate matters. Others will later appreciate your hardheaded approach to vital problems.

PISCES' DAILY ACTIVITY GUIDE

1st Mon. Let events take their natural course, and you should find financial matters working out well by midafternoon. Evening decisions are unreliable.

2nd Tu. You will be altering your viewpoint more than once today and tomorrow. Expect neighbors and kin to be prominently in the picture during this part of the week.

3rd Wed. Now you can move ahead with necessary agreements, for your chance of success is good. Reach understandings with your mate and allies by sunset, if possible.

4th Th. Circumstances bring a change of trend that stimulates home and office interests to a strong degree by this evening. Accept activities without becoming irritated.

5th Fri. Mercury opposite Neptune urges you to be cautious of schemes and sharp practice, misinformation. Let affairs work out in a normal way. Don't take sides.

6th Sat. A change of trend provides you better perspective on circumstances of the moment by late morning. You are now able to advance pet aims or hobbies.

7th SUN. Deal with caution where sensitive children or loved ones are concerned, especially around midday and afternoon. Late P.M. brings you pleasure and freedom.

8th Mon. Your ability to gain a point is enhanced this morning. Be cautious in dealing with work or problems of others later this day or evening. Watch diet.

9th Tu. You have a good chance to make strides with job matters and business or financial concerns if you keep your eye on vital affairs during the day and evening.

10th Wed. Use the forenoon to dispose of important tasks. There will be a change of pace that accents partners or others later today. Try to cooperate.

11th Th. You can't expect benefits if you rely on others in important matters, for they seem destined to let you down rather hard. Discharge duties. Be self-reliant.

12th Fri. Much is gained by reliance upon advice from those you trust. Take stock of accounts, partnership finances, or tax matters this evening. Strike a balance.

13th Sat. You see ways and means of benefiting through mutual deals, but there is need for avoiding misjudgment, extravagance, in personal finances.

14th SUN. The Full Moon makes this portion of the month predominantly important where your pocketbook is concerned. Try to avoid emotional reactions to situations.

15th Mon. You may not be entirely happy with communications between yourself and others, especially around evening. Let plans be altered, if necessary. Defer comments.

16th Tu. It is time to let others speak their piece. Don't be disappointed if you fail to receive

expected mail or calls. Popularity rises in the late evening.

17th Wed. You show a willingness to assume responsibilities and to discharge rather heavy duties without complaint. This bolsters your credit with top people.

18th Th. Do not take matters lightly where your business, money, and personal interests are concerned. You must be quick to avert difficulties, clashes, domestic strife.

19th Fri. Friends are very much in the picture, and constructive events can develop this afternoon. Be wary of overdoing social life this evening.

20th Sat. You are in touch with congenial people and groups, but the outlook is not good for important entertaining or social gains. Be friendly, but careful.

21st SUN. It would be easy to put yourself on the spot in relations with others this afternoon or tonight. Try to keep emotions curbed. Don't betray any weaknesses.

22nd Mon. The opportunity to benefit through business contacts and discussions is quite marked, but watch the impulse to extravagance and wrong action.

23rd Tu. Don't allow unexpected situations to get you off on tangents that upset work routine. Direct action clears the way for progress and profit by early afternoon.

24th Wed. You have the initiative and should make the most of your personal contacts with neighbors, kin, and others during the forenoon and early P.M. hours.

25th Th. Check up on your schedule if you feel indisposed early today. The outlook is good for necessary contacts and commitments until evening. Retrench then.

26th Fri. By afternoon, you will want to give money matters special thought and attention. Pay close attention to evening hunches or new proposals. Initiative pays.

27th Sat. This seems like a favorable day and evening for necessary buying, selling, or attention to accounts. You may find yourself receiving gifts or other benefits.

28th SUN. It is your turn to be generous with money and belongings, so don't hold back. Some good ideas for profit will crop up by early evening. Note them.

29th Mon. The New Moon puts a strong accent on the need for unity and understanding in relations with others. Be willing to alter long-held views and opinions.

30th Tu. You see the results of efforts to improve relationships with those around you. Be ready to discuss and strengthen alliances and understandings judiciously.

These guides fit influences into your life according to the houses of your solar chart. Use each part of every day best by following the aspects in the Self-Guidance Chart.

Aries' year ahead

12-months' prospects

for those born

March 21 to

April 20



extra attention to your physical well-being. Simplify and alter your diet so as to eat for good health, abundant vitality and a long and useful life rather than just to suit your appetite.

THE POSITION OF THE planet Jupiter becomes increasingly important from August 7, 1957, to January 13, 1958. Especially is it active with regard to partnerships, marriage, dealings with the public at large. A chance for success in such matters is possible

During the term ending August 6, 1957, you will likely experience some beneficial change in your work or the conditions affecting it. Added joy and self-fulfillment should come to you through activities in behalf of others. The relationship you entertain with your employer or co-workers should become more profitable now. The current span is opportune for you to observe and learn new methods of service and industrial techniques.

Improve labor relations; master any new information concerning these and use it to good advantage. A revised attitude and approach toward the people with whom you work and toward subordinates should result in helpful suggestions and progress. This is a good interval for Aries employers to make changes in personnel. Aries employees can get better jobs or improved working conditions.

Examine your life and its achievements in terms of service rendered. Give some real thought and contemplation to what you hope to accomplish along these lines. True inner peace and satisfaction come only to those who give of themselves generously when they are needed. We can all become indispensable in some manner and to someone in this way.

Matters of health are largely benefited at this time. Since these interests are bolstered by the beneficent Jupiter's presence, this is a generally good time to give

during the ensuing time, and cooperative dealings should be encouraged.

If a removal is contemplated, this portion of the year is the time to look around and make plans in this regard. Seek some activity which gets you out in public even if it does not bring any immediate personal benefit; the reaction will be fortunate and reflect to your credit. Take care, however, that this trend does not make you overconfident and extravagant.

If the present cycle finds you already involved in a partnership or married, you can expect a change to come in the affairs of your mate or partner. The likelihood is that this will involve an expansive opportunity or a journey. This period will also open new vistas for you, particularly as regards social activities, public or martial interests.

You may expect that the world will be, to some degree, more generous toward you; other people will tend to be more kindly. Do your very best to reciprocate, for by pulling together with someone, you will be able to accomplish much more than by working independently at this time. Another important feature of the period is that you will be more inclined to reach out toward other people and to take a broader interest in their affairs.

You should now have a wider appreciation for the other fellow's point of view. From time to time, you will notice qualities

and characteristics in others that are worthy of expressions of approval. Perhaps you can accomplish a great deal by following the example they set. Contracts are favored with professional or business people, those who are profound, religious or philosophical as well as folks who are in the public eye to some degree. Listen carefully to the ideas and advice of others at this time; you will find many of them sage, worth considering and much of their counsel worth following.

SINCE YOUR SUN-SIGN IS ONE OF THE FIRE triplicity, your tendency is to incur opposition or displeasure thoughtlessly at times. It is going to be necessary now for you to be especially careful in dealings with others. Keep clear of quarrelsome and combative elements. Allow no conflict of issues to interfere with the opportunities which others may bring to you or permit you to share with them. Make all possible allowances in the interest of benefiting your marital or other valued partnerships.

Maintain cordial relationships with the people you meet. Some of the greatest chances for gain you will have for quite a while are within your grasp now, but they call for less independence than is characteristic of you. They also require that you go out of your way to work harmoniously with others. Perhaps your philosophical view of life and sense of humor are among your most charming assets; remember to express them when relationships become strained.

You are advised to make an all-out effort to strengthen your position in your particular sphere of activity. Add to ability to attract others and to make yourself indispensable to them. Take full advantage

of the many chances you will enjoy for adding to your list of congenial associates and acquaintances. There is much you can do to increase popularity and to call forth from others their most generous and helpful attitudes in your behalf. You will not regret doing your part in this respect.

Jupiter—after January 14, 1958—commences a sojourn in your solar eighth house. The resulting combination of influences will make it possible for you to tap inherent capabilities which have been permitted to lie dormant. Jupiter's transit of the sign Scorpio should encourage you to rely more readily upon those qualities of resourcefulness and faith that call forth the best that is in you. You should also look for favorable openings to increase

your best development

Prior to August 6, 1957, you stand to gain in matters involving employment, health and service. You now have the opportunity to benefit through taking a broad and optimistic view of your daily life and the work that supports it. This is an excellent time to solve a health problem and to obtain expert counsel in connection with bodily well-being. Add to your stock of necessities and bring your wardrobe up to date during this span.

From August 7, 1957, to January 13, 1958, you stand to benefit by associating with another or others in undertakings. This marks a period when you are due for expansion or removals. It is a time when you should not attempt to be as self-sufficient and self-reliant as is your usual wont. Instead, you should seek to obtain the full benefits of any wise affiliation or cooperation that is available to you.

Following January 14, 1958, you will have a chance to benefit through the resources and contacts of others. This is the time when you should grasp financial opportunities which have to do with mutual or joint interests. Your usual generosity will bear fruit at this time. Be willing to share justly with others. Concentrate attention on a development that can mean a great deal, in a material way, to you and others.

your property holdings. Be alert for chances to expand opportunities and to attract benefits through the resources of others.

If you are in line for a legacy, make certain that you impress others as to your worthiness for such a benefit. In all mutual pecuniary matters, carry out your side of the bargain with enthusiasm, good judgment and complete reliability. Your part-

ner will tend to follow your example and to meet you at least halfway. However, be on the alert that joint monetary dealings remain on a mutually agreeable and profitable basis. Do not permit extravagance and overoptimism to enter the picture. A little patience and tact at the right time, added to the lesson learned through past experience, can help you to establish your partnership assets on a safe and constructive basis.

JUPITER'S PRESENCE IN YOUR SOLAR EIGHTH house—after January 14, 1958—offers protection in building and maintaining safe reserves. You may find it worth while to give a great deal of thought and effort to your money interests. Keep your accounts in good order; pay bills promptly so as to avoid penalties and to benefit through any discounts that can be gained. Keep your budget on a sufficiently flexible basis to tide you over any reasonable emergency. Be on the alert to protect your savings against impractical schemes that might be presented to you in an inviting guise.

Friends and relatives can sometimes lead

you into financial deals that your better judgment should prompt you to veto. Bear in mind that anything worth while must stand close scrutiny and patient investigation. When in doubt about the merits or drawbacks that exist in a particular case, it is always well to get advice from the persons best qualified to give it.

You are now under auspicious trends for discovering the weak links in your approach to mutual pecuniary matters and for the correction of these. The interval starting January 14, 1958, is also valuable for completing to advantage what is under way relative to those assets which you hold in common with another or others; it offers exceptional chances to add to your savings by means of making the most of all endeavors that permit you to salvage what you already own so that it might be re-used. If you are alert, you will find that you have considerably more in the way of dormant or frozen assets than you had realized. Others are likely to leave things to you or place them at your disposal during the current Jupiter cycle. All in all, it should not be necessary or advantageous

have you an aries* friend or relative?

All the major planets are in the setting side of the 1957-'58 solar map for the Aries-born. Most of these are in favorable angles to the Aries birthday group during the coming year. This means that the accent will be on partnership, cooperative endeavors, public interests to a much greater degree than ordinarily.

As a general rule, the Aries-born is a "self-starter" and does not depend too much on the views or activities of his associates. For best results during the year ahead, his approach should now be changed.

Aries people should wait until they have discussed their program with those of their partners and loved ones or co-workers whose opinion they trust before embarking on anything new or different. They will do well to control their natural desire to get under way quickly with a given enterprise until they can ob-

serve what their opponents or competitors are doing with similar projects.

While the above is not the typical Aries way, it is essential now that the Aries native look before he leaps. If possible, he should take a leaf from the book of others who have successfully handled a similar situation. This course is not only the safest at this time; it will also be the most productive of good results.

All natives of Aries should, therefore, think ahead in order to get the most accomplished in the coming twelve months. You will be especially thoughtful and helpful if you give or send your Aries friends a copy of the April HOROSCOPE. If you wish to send them a unique birthday gift, one which will serve them every day of the year ahead, send a HOROSCOPE subscription covering twelve full issues.

**Those born March 21 to April 20*

for you to buy many new things. See first if you cannot reuse things you own or trade items you cannot utilize efficiently for something you need.

If you go into business during this term, you will tend to be more successful, other things being equal, in taking over something established or under way than in initiating a new project. During this interval, you also stand to benefit through financial returns from a partnership or cooperative tie of some sort.

This period calls for gains through reciprocal items. The funds and earnings of your mate or partner should take a turn for the better. The degree of this gain will, of course, depend somewhat upon the wisdom with which it is handled. The opportunities for improvement will be there, at any rate; so try to help your associates make the most of them. You are now in a period conducive to success in matters involving the good will and assets of others. It is a generally good time to arrange credit and to handle anything having to do with estates, inheritances and members of the legal profession. This is one of those rare times when you sometimes get something without working for it.

URANUS—THE PLANET of originality, new ideas and methods—remains in a beneficial angle to your Sun-Sign all year. This is a happy indication for aid in advancement of creative and executive interests. Promote friendships and happier relationships with loved ones. You will be in a position to exert ingenuity and original ideas in attracting

others. If you are unattached, make the most of this period for meeting eligible members of the opposite sex. Travel, study, join clubs or groups of people who have similar interests to your own.

Uranus in your solar fifth house tends to bring out the individualistic side of your nature. This is a trend to be kept within bounds in your case. There are some times, however, when your own ideas are better

for your development than those brought forth by others. Develop any inventiveness and ingenuity you possess. Promote those capabilities that tend to make you more distinctive. Cooperation of the right type will not always be available. It is, thus, best that you are prepared to proceed on your own whenever it appears to be advantageous.

Uranus is the planet of improvement. Many times, advancement under the influence of this planet is unexpected. Even when it comes as the result of experience or trial and error, it will develop suddenly. Changes will not be lacking, especially involving loved ones. The sway of Uranus can be magnetic at some times and repellent to people under other conditions.

Do not be discouraged if some of your attachments are not lasting. For one thing, it will be difficult, under the spur of this planet, to give up your freedom to any great degree. Respect the necessity to be yourself and to develop your ideas as independently as possible. At the same time, try to refrain from forcing a matter to the point of incurring inharmony or hostility. Silence is golden in this respect. Agree when you have to do so, and further your

your year's keynote

It is the crystallization of plans based on those experiences which you have found to be the most practical and productive of good results. You are advised to delay decisions until you have had a chance to review the facts involved; submit them to the test of knowledge based on experience, your own and that of advisers. This method will tend to increase safety and success.

Be particularly careful that you have sound legal advice on matters involving real estate, public, travel, future or distant affairs, those of your interests which involve in-laws. If you have not associated yourself with a religious or philosophical group which adds to your sense of security, now is the time to do so.

principles as quietly and unobtrusively as possible. However, do not sacrifice the opportunity Uranus provides to improve the creative side of your nature.

Don't feel you have to give up altogether any project that does not meet with complete approval. Experiment with it until you have made it foolproof; win support as quickly as possible, but do not expect that it will be as soon as you might desire.

Try to see the other fellow's side of the question and be sympathetic toward his problems, as you expect him to be toward yours.

dangers to avoid

Your greatest test in the year ahead is one which you will meet to a lesser degree at many major points in your progress through life. As an Aries native, you are subject to the dangers inherent in self-centeredness and selfishness. The whole accent of the year ahead is on service to others, co-operation with them and mutual benefits. You, therefore, will need to reorient your outlook. Avoid any discord or needless separations from those whom you love or who love you. Strictly limit self-indulgences, especially in temperament or unjustified anger. Be guarded against tendencies to impatience in the presence of minor delays.

It probably will not be difficult for you to keep clear of involvements of petty details and distractions. However, you will need to be on guard against self-deception or shirking necessary matters of routine. Be willing to face the facts and to be guided and protected by them. Rule out indiscreet actions that can backfire in connection with your position and standing.

IT IS WELL TO BEAR in mind that during times of the year Uranus is temporarily not well aspected. Therefore, be most careful to avoid making changes, especially involving speculation or risks. Be tactful in dealings with those closest to your heart. You and they are apt to be more nervous or temperamental than usual, so relax when you find yourself becoming tense. Gain more rest; above all, do not force issues. If you do not agree with your adversary, at least do not make it apparent that your views differ. Maintain respect for his point of view and try to win admiration for yours.

Neptune still journeys through your solar eighth house—with the exception of the interval between June 17 and August 4, 1957—bringing in its trail some illumination as well as befuddlement. You may have to put joint financial ventures on an easily understood plane. It would also be well to keep books and

include both time and money, and don't exceed the amounts you have apportioned. If someone else can dip into your coffers, come to a definite understanding concerning the share to which each one is entitled.

Avail yourself of all pertinent data before borrowing or lending; leave monetary tangles to another; don't allow anyone or anything to sap your resources. Don't let sympathies or feelings outstrip your common sense. Unlock the storehouse of your latent capabilities if you wish to share Neptune's rewards during the coming year. You have a good share of creative talent and a knack for hitting on the right thing; Neptune now heightens these abilities. Your versatility should be more unfettered. You can take more things in your stride provided that you pick from the current crop of ideas only those which will nourish your hopes and talents.

Neptune in your solar eighth house stresses the fact that in material affairs, you are and will continue to be closely associated with others. Therefore, what affects one affects all. You must learn the lesson of unselfish sharing if you are to gain all you should from this experience. However, this does not mean that you should let others impose on you. Keep it a reciprocal matter; maintain a just balance if everyone is to profit. Extreme unselfishness is as bad as excessive self-interest in this case.

KEEP AN INTELLIGENT EYE ON PARTNERSHIP finances. There is an element of trickery abroad which can claim you as a victim. In any matter where money is involved, have it clearly understood at the start what is yours and what is the other fellow's. Disagreements and misconceptions in this connection can lead to loss as well as unpleasantness. Take your head out of the clouds and face facts—and generally set them down in black and white. Carelessness and negligence should be avoided.

You can learn much through observing the traits, tendencies, reactions of other people and by being sensitive to their moods, ideas from June 17 to August 4, 1957. However, be prepared to face those individuals who insist on being very skeptical. Give them a good reason for everything. Better have your answers ready at this time. Watch contracts, agreements; be

monetary records clear and up to date. Draw up a plan for spending which will

famous aries* people

Abraham Ribicoff, April 9, 1910; Governor of Connecticut, who is pioneering a very greatly needed war on traffic accidents in the inimitably enthusiastic, enterprising Aries manner.

Albert C. Read, March 29, 1887; aviator who made the first flight across the Atlantic, is another stirring example of the Aries native's willingness to be first, regardless of the dangers or obstacles involved.

Walter R. Miles, March 29, 1885; psychologist, is a reminder that Aries has rulership over the head. Aries natives are prominent in both brain surgery and psychology. Dr. Harvey Cushing, brain surgeon—born April 8, 1869—was also an outstanding Aries individual in this connection.

Mary Pickford, April 8, 1893; actress who pioneered in motion pictures. Miss Pickford is an illustration of the fact that Aires rules personality and pub-

licity. This may be the reason the Aries-born more readily attracts public notice.

Elbert J. Hall, April 8, 1882; mechanical engineer, co-designer of the Liberty motor for aircraft, is an example of the Aries person's interest in mechanisms. These people are usually keen for aeronautics, too, since it provides the latest and fastest means of transportation.

Walter P. Chrysler, April 2, 1875; automobile designer and manufacturer, is another illustration of Aries aptitude for mechanics.

Frances Perkins, April 10, 1885; Secretary of Labor under President Franklin D. Roosevelt and the first woman to hold a Cabinet portfolio. Miss Perkins is an illustration of the Aries-born's ability to shatter traditions and to be the first on so many fronts.

**Those born March 21 to April 20*

slow to sign papers. Someone may try to put something over on you. You can fool yourself, too; so check and double check. Guard against controversies, especially legal and marital. Meet force with strategy here. Others tend to be heavy-handed at times, but they are not really sure of their ground. Don't let them stampede you.

You are apt to be called upon to help others extricate themselves from one difficulty or another for which they are responsible. You should give advice or assistance that is needed according to the time and means at your disposal. However, you will be wise to steer clear of involved or troublesome situations. In that case, you are likely to be of less assistance than usual. You are apt to get into a mess yourself before you are finished with it.

Neptune lends a largely inspiring influence concerning dealings with other persons. The effect of Neptune is to make you more responsive to others. Under its rule, you would do well to make sure that your close or constant associates stimulate your mind and lift your moral and ethical outlook to higher levels. You can gain immeasurably yet unconsciously if you are wise about this. You can lose just as much without realizing it if you choose the wrong companions.

Like a pendulum, the influence of Neptune may swing between confusion and inspiration as relates to those you are connected with in public, legal or marital ties. Whenever you cannot see clearly what your next step should be, hold up all judgments until the way is clear. When a misunderstanding arises,

find out just what the basis is and how to overcome it. Get all your facts marshaled and assembled and be sure you are right before acting.

DURING THE PRESENT CYCLE WHEN NEPTUNE opposes your Sun-Sign, be especially careful not to be too much in the company of those who indulge in extremes. Left alone to the regenerative influences of Nature, your vigor will restore itself quickly without any artificial help, even when you run close to exhaustion. But if you subject yourself to overstimulation, you throw obstacles in the way of this process and may unbalance your whole system.

Neptune will not be forward in motion prior to July 11, 1957. It would seem to point to the fact that some obstacle may be lifted, a problem solved through the intervention or resourcefulness of a loved one.

After July 12, 1957, you should start to move forward more definitely in connection with public or marital affairs. You can benefit through the example, inspiration or ideas which a partner or associate offers.

More concrete opportunities become apparent with Saturn in your house of travel, legal matters and mental approach to success. Since it trines your Sun-Sign, you may expect to enter upon a period of progress—dependent only on your own ability to concentrate. While circumstances favor you, you'll have to provide the drive out of your own character. If you relax before the circumstances, you can waste time and opportunity and cause chances for progress to pass by unnoticed.

In whatever sphere you move, you can make your influence felt strongly—and for good. Firmness of purpose and a steady objective, will enable you now to start on a course of steady, consistent progress. Your primary aim should be to select a high objective and stick to your purposes with will and energy. Justify your sense of well-being by making it manifest in worldly progress. Be willing to be flexible in method. This must be interpreted in terms of steady progress, not wasted in simply flitting from one thing to another aimlessly.

High aims should be encouraged, for with Saturn in your solar ninth division,

you can be practical about your ideals, idealistic about the practical matters of life. Publicity, advertising, writing, publishing, travel and distant matters hold your longest-range opportunity, even though Saturn may block them temporarily. Don't lose sight of your most worth-while objectives, nor allow news, gossip, rumor or your own indecision to obscure your best chances for gains.

BROADEN YOUR AIMS, ACHIEVE A NEW conception of what your success should be. Dare to dream high, and make your dreams come true through the favor of superiors, and of the general public.

A tendency to mental excess and enthusiasm can result in a worrisome period and you will find that moderation in all things serves your purposes best. The things you have adhered to—that character you have built—the inner convictions that have become part of your life, stand you in good stead here. Build within yourself the power to interpret circumstances as they arise to your own advantage. You can't always control what happens to you, but you can control how you react to what does come.

Plenty of opportunity to do things for others comes here, and an unselfish attitude toward associates will bring its own reward. Don't worry if you seem not to be appreciated as you think you deserve. Appreciation will follow if you act now so as to merit it.

The influence of Mars, planet of action, is important in your day-to-day affairs; it points the direction toward which you should look for stimulation in your activities at a given time. Following, you will find an interpretation by periods of its travel through your solar chart.

March 18 to May 4: Activity centers on relationships in general, as well as in connection with relatives, agents and neighbors in particular. Correspondence and details come to the fore. It is likely that you will do more writing than you usually care to. You will feel mentally alert, but take time in making decisions. Avoid anxiety and haste, especially in transit. Pick up the threads of those projects you had put aside. Get into contact

with writers, agents. Advertise your wares. Deal with kindred. Take trips or have relatives visit you.

May 5 to June 20: Attention is centered on your home, family, residence or base of operations, the completion of things. Take care of necessary repairs around the house and grounds. Keep it moderate and enjoyable; guard against haste which might result in damage. Matters concerning property will also be stimulated. Promote these interests. Some matter which has been pending may be settled to your advantage.

The likelihood of burns or mishaps at home should be avoided by exercising greater caution in household matters. Proper precautionary measures should be taken to protect your property from damage or intrusion, while Mars is in this fourth angle.

June 21 to August 7: Mars occupies your solar fifth house now, so look for extra stimulation where the emotional side of your life is concerned. In this house, Mars tends to create strong desires. You should plan to get ahead with creative or inventive work. A courageous and masterful approach to heart's desires is favorably stimulated by this planet. You will also enjoy a more rapid flow of creative ideas.

However, you should guard against extravagance, accidents and other untoward happenings. Control a tendency to act or speak impulsively and be careful handling cars, machines and weapons. Protect children from dangerous conditions, and use discretion where predatory members of the other sex are concerned.

August 8 to September 23: The energizing influence of Mars is focused through your angle of health and employment. This could involve some changes in employment relations. You should guard against schemes or intrigue involving those who work for you or with you. This period also calls for extra care where your health is concerned; don't overdo; get plenty of rest.

September 24 to November 8: Your relations with the rest of the world in general, your mate or partner in particular,

are emphasized at this time. A strongly competitive trend may develop in your life. Cooperative and partnership activities will be largely helpful. However, Mars will be opposing your Sun-Sign; so you had better control your temper if anyone should step on your toes. Be philosophical about differences of opinion, since undoubtedly you have opposed the views of others at various times. In your marital and partnership affairs, guard against temper and self-righteousness.

With these thoughts in mind, seek to promote outside interests, marital and reciprocal matters. Check back over what you have accomplished for possible omissions and to see if there is room for improvement.

November 9 to December 22: Matters involving partnership finances, property of other people and hidden resources are spotlighted during this interval. Use care in what you write or say; offend no one; bring out your latent tact.

It will pay you to check back over important details and consider everything from a long-range view for the time being. A logical approach to problems is advised; discount your intuitive impulses. You can, however, tap higher levels for inspiration during your quiet, meditative moments.

The Sun enters the congenial sign Sagittarius on November 23, where it will remain for the next month. This is an auspicious planetary cycle for those born in Aries. Plan a vacation.

December 23, 1957, to February 3, 1958: This period is dominated by Mars' transit of your solar ninth house. This is a position which is likely to bring about developments for you along spiritual, religious or higher educational lines. Keep in touch with the latest discoveries in scientific, cultural, educational and publicity fields. Forward friendships, hopes and wishes to the best advantage. There is a strong accent on travel or on some matter involving a person or place at a distance. Promote plans, decisions, trips, the foregoing interests and changes. You will have the keen perception it takes to get at the truth.

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Beware of building your hopes too high, for in some cases they will be doomed to disappointment. Moreover, the anxiety and strain of waiting and uncertainty are apt to be hard on your nerves. When you become involved in such a situation, get extra rest and keep your chin up. Jupiter's conjunction with your Mars bodes well for the eventual success of undertakings provided you keep trying.

45 If Mars at your birth was in Libra, you can both give and accept advice with profit. The transiting Mars (from March 18 to May 4) and Uranus (over the long run) are congenial to your Mars. Travel or pursue some course of study or research. Renew old friendships and solidify new ones. If you set yourself to it, you can persuade important people to further your career.

46 If Mars at your birth was in Scorpio, transiting Mars is favorably aligned with your own Mars following May 5. Speed up your schedule for the daily round while your grasp of situations is keen. Uranus square the birth angle of your Mars may impel you to rush matters. Spend plenty of time on preparatory work; do not let haste override wisdom. If you have some unusual ideas, give others time to get used to them.

47 If Mars at your birth was in Sagittarius, you may find yourself circumscribed in your activities during this term. You have transiting Mars opposing from Gemini from March 18 to May 4. Saturn continues to transit your Mars-Sign. This combination does not make for freedom and easy achievement. Maintain a cheerful, unruffled attitude; stay on an

even keel emotionally. Spend more effort in building up your standing in the community than in trying for momentary advantages.

48 If Mars at your birth was in Capricorn, the semisextile of Saturn, sextile of Neptune and trine of Jupiter will help to get you out of a rut into more extensive spheres, providing you are ready to move ahead. It is advisable to use this stimulus to make improvements in the existing setup.

However, the span following May 5 is not a time for taking chances. Especially if the scheme demands capital, go slowly. Know all the details of the matter; study its disadvantages as assiduously as its promises.

49 If Mars at your birth was in Aquarius, new openings will likely be available from March 18 to May 4. It may be that you will expand the activity you are already engaged in. Transiting Mars in Gemini encourages advancement of general activities. Neptune is still squaring your Mars, and Uranus adverse adds to the requirements for patience and careful judgment. Make "play safe" your motto.

50 If Mars at your birth was in Pisces, you may find it temporarily difficult to gain quick results of effort. Mars square your Mars—March 18 to May 4—picks up the Saturn square and tends to slow down your endeavors. Associates may fail to do their part or remain cold to your enthusiasms. Other barriers are likely to arise. You can do little or nothing by becoming angry or insistent. Persistence and patient plodding, however, will show results.



The paragraph below which applies to you gives the influences at work on your Venus for the current period and has special reference to the things ruled by Venus: love, social life, creative activity along artistic lines and financial matters as they relate to security, your personal relationships.

51 If Venus at your birth was in Aries, make new contacts during the Mars cycle which is active until May 4. This

should be one facet of a lively interlude. The trine of Uranus stirs matters affecting love, money, fun. Uranus also gives you

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more zest for what you are engaged in and makes your tasks move more easily. Be cautious about undertaking anything which would mean an outlay of cash. Take stock of the difficulties you may encounter.

52 If Venus at your birth was in Taurus, if you stick to what has been tested and found successful, you should be able to go forward. The opposition of Neptune and square of Uranus stress the importance of a level head. Keep your sentiments under control. Be particular whom you spend your time with. Avoid those whose level of interests is not similar to yours. In commercial matters, insist that all details be clarified and agreed to by both parties. Take no one's word for it; have it written down in black and white.

53 If Venus at your birth was in Gemini, amusement and entertainment are highlighted from March 18 to May 4. With Mars conjoining your Venus and Uranus sextile it, this should not be a dull time for you. You cannot foresee what romantic developments may occur; they may be far from what you expect. However, you can count on an interesting time of it. Saturn's opposition may bring about delays and obstacles at times, but the use of tact and patience will overcome them.

54 If Venus at your birth was in Cancer, Neptune trines your Venus and Jupiter sextiles it, thus intensifying your chances for conviviality. These influences also point to the more serious obligation of cementing the ties between you and those you love. Social activity will be linked with charity, secrecy or background factors from March 18 to May 4. Mars is then in Gemini, a secluded sector of your Venus chart. Gain more relaxation; recuperate somewhat from the faster pace you have been following. Find solution to dilemmas which touch on romance, social relationships, the exchequer. Come to the fore after May 5; be active socially and concerning affairs of the heart.

The positions of Jupiter and Neptune

indicate your ability to entertain superlatively. Spontaneous merrymaking will probably prove most enjoyable following May 5, so don't schedule your activities too closely.

55 If Venus at your birth was in Leo, from March 18 to May 4, you have the Martian impetus from Gemini to keep things moving at a lively pace. Socially your life should be full—with trimmings. Be outgoing and make it easy for others to like you and know you better.

Dealings with other people are apt to run into snags for some time to come. Uranus conjunct and Neptune square your Venus require special care in connection with love or money. Do not be an easy mark for a touch—the circumstances may be misleading.

56 If Venus at your birth was in Virgo, March 18 to May 4 brings a temporary testing time. Mars squares your Venus, and so does Saturn for a longer period. However, if you discover through any deprivation the resources of your own nature, you will profit in the end. Turn to chums and dear ones for companionship; learn that really valuable things cannot be bought with money.

57 If Venus at your birth was in Libra, Uranus sextile your Venus can be helpful regarding friendly relationships. Try to expand your circle of acquaintances. The course of love and pleasure should run fairly smooth now. Mars from Gemini sustains your Venus from March 18 to May 4, marking a good interval for pleasant pastimes.

58 If Venus at your birth was in Scorpio, the conjunction of Neptune plus the square of Uranus tend to make you flout advice to settle down. It is likely to carry you through a series of ups and downs in experience and emotion. Stability of outlook is, therefore, not easy to maintain. But the harmony it will bring into your life is worth a sincere effort to attain it. The bizarre and exotic will attract you. Keep your eventual happiness in mind; shy away from anything which might interfere with it.

59 If Venus at your birth was in Sagittarius, Uranus in an auspicious angle turns thought to what is new and interesting in friendships and associations. Try to gain from furthering these contacts; discuss your problems with those capable of helping you. Uranus trine your Venus also enables you to make wise plans concerning pleasures.

However, do not be rash or extravagant, especially from March 18 to May 4, while Mars opposes your Venus. This may seem to put farther off the day when you will attain your most longed-for goals. However, you will reach them if you don't try to hurry progress with injudicious conviviality. Keep to the middle of the road. Be friendly, moderate; put a proper value on simple things.

60 If Venus at your birth was in Capricorn, you should be able to enjoy yourself where social activities are concerned prior to May 4. The sextile of Neptune and trine of Jupiter cooperate to give you good contacts in such matters. Proceed more slowly and carefully after May 5, when Mars opposes your Venus.

61 If Venus at your birth was in Aquarius, the square of transiting Neptune and the opposition of Uranus accent your desires. You tend to want things until you have them—then they

lose their attraction. Learn to accent the positive and enjoy the fruits of your constructive activities.

Uranus opposing warns you to expect the unexpected. Steer clear of those who show signs of being unconventional or extreme in their views. You need the moral support of steady, dependable companions. Since your attitude toward people and circumstances will likely be changeable, be chary about tying yourself to definite agreements. A helpful Saturn tends to give you worth-while and practical ideas and cooperation. Turn these to your permanent advantage; win good will and interest.

Mars, from March 18 to May 4, tends to better your discretion in choosing diversissements. It also enables you to differentiate between the true and false in emotional interests.

62 If Venus at your birth was in Pisces, Neptune trine your Venus adds to your opportunities for subtle enjoyment. This may come through invitations or through guests and visitors.

From March 18 to May 4, the square of Mars and the opposition of Jupiter for a longer period make it difficult to maintain accord. Should you let your impulses or spending proclivities get the better of you, you'll regret it. Mars' square to your natal Venus also cautions against carelessness in observing conventions.



Mercury

The paragraph below which applies to you gives the planetary influences at work on your Mercury at this time and has special reference to the things ruled by Mercury: intellectuality, mental pursuits, study, research, writings, learning and your approach to life generally. It also concerns communications.

63 If Mercury at your birth was in Aries, a genial Mars (to May 4) as well as Saturn and Uranus (for the long pull) should help you simplify the daily round. They should also point the way to some good bargains or toward a profitable sale. Following May 5, be particularly guarded against haste, impulse, anger.

64 If Mercury at your birth was in Taurus, the opposition of Neptune and square of Uranus to your natal Mer-

cury may keep you upset or nervous. One time, you see everything through a rosy cloud of wishful thinking. Next, you can be as hardheaded and down-to-earth in your dealings as the next one. Seize one of the latter moments when it comes to making decisions. Impulses are not safe guides to action. Depend on experience and common sense.

65 If Mercury at your birth was in Gemini, the sextile of Uranus will help you to size up your opportunities

quickly. It enables you to think rapidly and to evolve new ideas and methods advantageously. However, Saturn's opposition tests these for practicality, durability.

66 If Mercury at your birth was in Cancer, you should benefit in inspiration and ideas while Neptune trines your Mercury. Jupiter in Virgo also encourages intellectual activity. Write, confer, visit; make many new contacts during the present cycle. Scrutinize carefully your opinions and remarks before you express them. Be equally cautious about what you set your name to, especially if the contract is of a lasting nature.

67 If Mercury at your birth was in Leo, you should reach clearheaded conclusions from March 18 to May 4. Straighten out the difficulties in both human relationships and commercial deals. Renew acquaintanceships which have proved pleasant in the past.

With Neptune squaring your Mercury, do not trust your intuitions, since they are not likely to prove reliable. You need to depend on sound reasoning—which in turn is based on hard fact. Stay clear of inharmony. Study business transactions thoroughly; do not sign any papers unless you thoroughly understand and approve.

68 If Mercury at your birth was in Virgo, you are apt to let insignificant vexations disturb or depress you unreasonably now. Make a particular effort to stay on an even keel from March 18 to May 4; Mars then squares your Mercury. Uranus is in a slightly helpful angle to your Mercury, enabling you to solve problems ingeniously.

The sextile of Neptune and conjunction of Jupiter encourage you to delve into new subjects or venture into different fields of activity. You are likely to surprise yourself by undertaking enterprises beyond your usual scope. Employ every useful suggestion which comes your way.

69 If Mercury at your birth was in Libra, Mars trines it from March 18 to May 4. Uranus is also favorable. These stimulating angles give added force to your purposes, enabling you to embody them

better in words and action. Slow your activities after May 5, when Mars is in an adverse angle.

70 If Mercury at your birth was in Scorpio, an amiable Jupiter can bring an increase of travel, study or contacts into your life. Use your considered judgment to bring about the things which you envision.

Uranus square your Mercury inclines you to change from one objective or line of action to another. The conjunction of Neptune tests your judgment, which tends to be colored by your desires and self-interest. Preserve an open-minded adaptability, but be sure you have good reason for every shift you make. If the revision is demanded by circumstances, do the best you can about it. But of your own will, initiate as few alterations as possible.

71 If Mercury at your birth was in Sagittarius, be willing to adopt practical ideas, whether your own or another's. Saturn is conjunct your Mercury, and Uranus from Leo trines it, deepening and enlivening your mental abilities.

Be careful from March 18 to May 4 as to what you write or sign. Work out all phases of a transaction before you agree to it. With transiting Mars opposing your Mercury, there is a tendency toward haste, impulse. Do not let a rift develop with associates.

72 If Mercury at your birth was in Capricorn, Jupiter trine your Mercury tends to make you more cheerful. It should present the road ahead in more attractive colors. Neptune's sextile enables you to make preparations well ahead of time so as to limit the possibility of mistakes.

73 If Mercury at your birth was in Aquarius, the present Mars cycle—March 18 to May 4—encourages travel, study, contacts. You should also find yourself the center of some interesting events.

Neptune squaring your Mercury tends to induce impracticality. You will also need to guard against deceit or foggiess of thinking. Determine what concepts or projects of yours can be put into operation and what had best be discarded or post-

poned. Let yourself be directed by reason and experience. Double check the fine print in any agreement before you sign.

Uranus opposing your Mercury inclines you to shift your point of view frequently. It would, thus, be unwise to enter into any contract for a long period of time. Be careful even about speaking your mind—for tomorrow you may change it. When in doubt, better let things stand as they are, rather than keep altering them repeatedly.

74 If Mercury at your birth was in Pisces, exert tact and care from

March 18 to May 4. Mars square your Mercury impels you to kick over the traces—and makes it unsafe to do so. Don't get the idea that you have to flout convention to prove you are not behind the times. Saturn's square aspect indicates that reality must be faced and dealt with as capably as possible. There is no reason to be cast down just because you have to face unsatisfactory conditions. In many cases, you can improve them. If not, draw optimistic pals about you who will help you make the best of things. Give some attention to the happiness of those near and dear to you.



The paragraph below which applies to you gives the planetary influences at work on your Moon and the things ruled by the Moon: your inner nature, mental and physical health, dealings with women, children and domestic matters. It rules your inner sense of being right, hence successful, and your feeling of well-being.

75 If the Moon at your birth was in Aries, the span until May 4 should bring you a greater sense of balance, serenity. You have the cooperative trines of Uranus and Saturn and the sextile of Mars. These should bring a great many good things your way, provided you fulfill your responsibilities conscientiously. Play safe in the span following May 5, especially as to domestic matters.

outlook. This inner growth will probably be apparent outwardly in greater self-assurance and better judgment.

78 If the Moon at your birth was in Cancer, this should be a period of achievement for you. The trine of Neptune and sextile of Jupiter lend aid in pursuit of your pet goals. Greater mental alertness and inventiveness can be yours during this term.

76 If the Moon at your birth was in Taurus, Neptune opposing your natal Moon turns your thoughts inward. You need to guard against irritation because things as they actually are don't measure up to your imaginings. This is especially true when friends and loved ones are involved. Should you idealize them too much, you will become disillusioned. Be hesitant about accepting assurances at their face value unless you know they are founded on fact.

79 If the Moon at your birth was in Leo, Mars and Saturn are in agreeable configurations to your Moon. These should enable you to experience exceptionally happy occasions during this interval. Cultural arts and romance may also contribute their share of enjoyment.

Uranus in the same sign as your natal Moon emphasizes your inner resources. However, be consistent about devoting your talents to one definite end. Do not go straying down attractive by-paths. Alertness, patience and tact are necessary, since Neptune squares your Moon. Try to keep the domestic scene unruffled.

77 If the Moon at your birth was in Gemini, the sextile of Uranus helps to make you more progressive. You should find it easier to take in your stride whatever alterations occur in your setup. Use this gift to beneficial ends by pioneering in fresh spheres of interest.

Mars conjunct and Saturn opposing your Moon stir up affairs in your domicile or work center; they call for a more adult

80 If the Moon at your birth was in Virgo, the sextile of Neptune aids you in making interesting home or office arrangements. It also gives you the ability to achieve greater inspiration and freedom from worry and tension because of in-

creased faith. Jupiter's conjunction is protective.

81 If the Moon at your birth was in Libra, you should attain a cherished objective from March 18 to May 4. Mars will be favorably aligned with your Moon then. Saturn, Jupiter, Neptune and Uranus are helpful; make gains prior to May 4.

82 If the Moon at your birth was in Scorpio, Neptune conjunct your Moon tests your discrimination in domestic matters. You must know what means the most to you and determine the qualities you wish to emphasize. Uranus square your Moon requires poise.

83 If the Moon at your birth was in Sagittarius, this is a term for reorganization and revision. Uranus trine your Moon makes things happen in connection with travel or new contacts. The trine of Uranus will probably inspire you to come up with out-of-the-ordinary solutions for the dilemmas which confront you. You will be drawn to people who are strongly individualistic or to outstanding locales or divertissements. You will likely find it hard to stay still for long at a time. If you're in a position to travel or move about, you will be inclined to satisfy this restless urge. Use reasonable caution in transit, however.

Mars' opposition from March 18 to May 4 stimulates activity. Grasp new concepts which occur to you. However, don't discard what has proved workable unless you know you have something better to put

in its place. Try to see things from the point of view of others so that you can keep from offending them. Jupiter's square requires you to double check judgment and avoid waste or extravagance.

84 If the Moon at your birth was in Capricorn, the sextile of Neptune reveals new opportunities for self-expression. Jupiter's trine gives you the protection of this planet of opportunity. Take a course in self-improvement; bring out the abilities you have overlooked or neglected. Put them to work and be a better-rounded individual.

85 If the Moon at your birth was in Aquarius, you can be very persuasive from March 18 to May 4. Turn this gift toward social ends and you can improve your standing and make yourself well liked. The sextile of Saturn, square of Neptune and opposition of Uranus intensify your idealism. Unused skills and endowments will be activated, your imagination stirred. In all probability, you will aim higher than you can reach; but the striving has its own recompense. You will mature during the experience. However, take no chances, particularly in matters involving hazards of any kind.

86 If the Moon at your birth was in Pisces, Mars squares your Moon from March 18 to May 4. Jupiter maintains its opposition during the current period. You may have to "put yourself out" to keep the peace and avoid extravagance in the home and work center.

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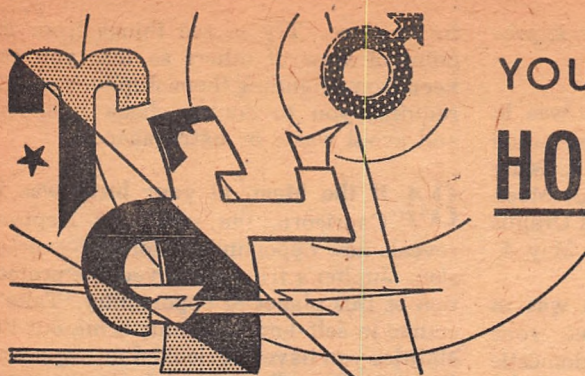
February 4 to March 17: This interval provides you with opportunity to put your knowledge to practical application. Particularly will this be the case in the field of your business, profession and worldly standing.

March 18 to April 27: This should be

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an outstanding period for your personal affairs and for contacts with friends. You should be attractive, magnetic and mentally alert. Make a point of getting about socially. Take care of work with greater accuracy and precision—and with less danger of interruption. Push communication matters. Get around more freely.

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YOUR APRIL ★ HOUR GUIDE

By Llewellyn George

Your planetary hour guide can be made to yield additional aid if you use its tables along with a daily aspectarian. The *Guide* starting on page 122 of this magazine lists the daily aspects, and the hourly tables are a part of this feature each month.

The only data or equipment required, other than that supplied with *HOROSCOPE*, is your nearest latitude, which you can learn from any map or atlas.

Example: When will the ruler of Aries (Mars) rule an hour and form a good aspect early this month, at latitude 37°?

Answer: On Tuesday, April 2, there is a Moon-Mars semisextile operative until 1:04 P.M. and a Venus-Mars sextile effective until 11:38 P.M., E.S.T. Under column "Tu" (for Tuesday) of the table for April 1 to 7, you note that there are Mars-ruled hours at your latitude from 1:07 to 2:10 P.M. and from 8:16 to 9:13 P.M.

The SUN rules authority, leadership, prominence, the spine, heart, vision, stamina, gold, diamonds, yellow and orange colors, Sunday, sign Leo.

Intervals of good solar rays—such as

APRIL 1st to 7th, ANY YEAR Day Hours; Sunrise to Sunset. Mean Time.

Lat. 27°	Lat. 29°	Lat. 31°	Lat. 33°	Lat. 35°	Lat. 37°	Lat. 39°	Lat. 41°	Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa	Lat. 43°	Lat. 45°	Lat. 47°	Lat. 49°	Lat. 51°	Lat. 53°	Lat. 55°
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6.53	6.52	6.52	6.52	6.51	6.50	6.49	6.47	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	6.47	6.46	6.44	6.43	6.41	6.40	6.38
7.55	7.55	7.55	7.54	7.54	7.53	7.52	7.51	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	7.50	7.50	7.48	7.48	7.46	7.45	7.44
8.58	8.57	8.57	8.57	8.56	8.56	8.55	8.54	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	8.54	8.53	8.52	8.52	8.51	8.50	8.48
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3.11	3.11	3.12	3.12	3.13	3.13	3.14	3.15	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	3.15	3.16	3.17	3.17	3.18	3.19	3.20
4.13	4.13	4.14	4.15	4.16	4.16	4.17	4.18	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	4.18	4.20	4.21	4.22	4.23	4.24	4.26
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Night Hours; Sunset to Sunrise.																					
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9.10	9.11	9.12	9.12	9.13	9.13	9.13	9.14	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	9.14	9.15	9.16	9.17	9.18	9.19	9.20
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1.59	1.59	1.59	1.59	1.58	1.57	1.57	1.56	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	1.56	1.56	1.55	1.55	1.54	1.53	1.52
2.57	2.56	2.57	2.56	2.56	2.54	2.54	2.53	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	2.52	2.52	2.51	2.50	2.49	2.48	2.47
3.55	3.54	3.54	3.53	3.53	3.51	3.51	3.49	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	3.48	3.48	3.47	3.46	3.45	3.43	3.41
4.52	4.51	4.52	4.51	4.50	4.48	4.47	4.46	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	4.45	4.44	4.42	4.41	4.40	4.38	4.36

♂ Saturn; ♃ Jupiter; ♂ Mars; ☉ Sun; ♀ Venus; ☿ Mercury; ☾ Moon.

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those of April 5, 9 and 18—approve Sun hours for seeking favor, meeting officials and regaining lost items.

Inharmonious solar periods—as those of April 7, 13 and 21—urge that you avoid lowered vitality, discontent in Sun hours.

The **MOON** reigns over females, children, domestic interests, emotions, the stomach, breast, glandular cycle, silver, delicate green and silvery colors, Monday, sign Cancer.

Frequent lunar aspects each month advocate its hours for dealing with women, infants, servants, temporary matters in Moon hours.

Recurrent adverse placings of the Moon suggest care in travel, working with liquids, arranging anything meant to be permanent.

MERCURY has jurisdiction over agreements, communication, transportation, the hands, arms, tongue, lungs, collarbone, nerves, bowels, quicksilver, blue colors, Wednesday, signs Gemini and Virgo.

Under Mercury's good rays—as those of April 3, 11 and 28—its hours are usable for commutation, assembling data, writing, publishing.

Inimical Mercurial aspects—as those of

April 5, 14 and 23—nullify its hours for lecturing, teaching, travel.

VENUS is ruler of art, beauty, harmony, romance, the sense of touch, throat, kidneys, copper, emeralds, sapphires, opals, pastel colors, Friday, signs Taurus and Libra.

Favorable Venusian arrangements—as listed for April 2, 6 and 17—signal Venus hours for entertaining, beautification, adjustments.

Untoward Venus placings—such as those on April 7, 16 and 21—warn against untidiness, canceled dates or laxity.

MARS has dominion over ambition, sports, surgery, war, the face, bladder, generative organs, sense of taste, iron, steel, bloodstones, color red, Tuesday, sign Aries.

When in good placement—as on April 2, 13 and 28—its hours recommend courageousness, muscular exertion, military interests.

Displeasing Mars aspects—as those of April 9, 11 and 26—urge avoidance of violence, accident, burns in Martian hours.

JUPITER has rulership over abundance, expansion, professional persons, the ar-

APRIL 8th to 14th, ANY YEAR Day Hours; Sunrise to Sunset. Mean Time.

Lat. 27°	Lat. 29°	Lat. 31°	Lat. 33°	Lat. 35°	Lat. 37°	Lat. 39°	Lat. 41°	Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa	Lat. 43°	Lat. 45°	Lat. 47°	Lat. 49°	Lat. 51°	Lat. 53°	Lat. 55°
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7.50	7.49	7.48	7.48	7.46	7.45	7.44	7.43	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	7.42	7.41	7.39	7.37	7.36	7.34	7.31
8.53	8.53	8.52	8.51	8.50	8.49	8.49	8.48	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	8.48	8.47	8.45	8.43	8.43	8.41	8.39
9.56	9.56	9.55	9.55	9.54	9.53	9.53	9.53	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	9.53	9.52	9.51	9.50	9.49	9.48	9.47
10.59	10.59	10.59	10.59	10.58	10.58	10.58	10.58	♂	♀	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	10.58	10.58	10.57	10.56	10.56	10.56	10.55
12.02	12.02	12.02	12.03	12.03	12.02	12.02	12.03	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	12.03	12.03	12.03	12.03	12.03	12.03	12.03
1.05	1.05	1.06	1.06	1.07	1.06	1.07	1.07	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	1.08	1.09	1.08	1.09	1.10	1.10	1.10
2.08	2.08	2.09	2.10	2.11	2.11	2.11	2.12	♀	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	2.13	2.14	2.14	2.15	2.17	2.18	2.18
3.11	3.12	3.13	3.14	3.15	3.15	3.16	3.17	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	3.19	3.20	3.20	3.22	3.24	3.25	3.26
4.14	4.15	4.16	4.18	4.19	4.19	4.20	4.22	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	4.24	4.25	4.26	4.28	4.30	4.32	4.34
5.17	5.18	5.20	5.21	5.23	5.24	5.25	5.27	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	5.29	5.31	5.32	5.35	5.37	5.40	5.42
Night Hours; Sunset to Sunrise.																					
6.20	6.21	6.23	6.25	6.27	6.28	6.29	6.32	♂	♀	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	6.34	6.36	6.38	6.41	6.44	6.47	6.50
7.17	7.18	7.19	7.21	7.23	7.24	7.24	7.27	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	7.29	7.30	7.32	7.35	7.37	7.39	7.42
8.14	8.14	8.16	8.17	8.19	8.19	8.20	8.22	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	8.23	8.25	8.26	8.28	8.30	8.32	8.34
9.11	9.11	9.12	9.13	9.15	9.15	9.15	9.17	♀	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	9.18	9.19	9.20	9.22	9.23	9.24	9.26
10.07	10.08	10.08	10.08	10.10	10.10	10.10	10.12	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	10.13	10.13	10.14	10.15	10.16	10.18	10.18
11.04	11.04	11.05	11.05	11.06	11.06	11.06	11.07	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	11.07	11.08	11.08	11.09	11.09	11.09	11.10
12.01	12.01	12.01	12.02	12.02	12.02	12.02	12.02	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	12.02	12.02	12.02	12.02	12.02	12.02	12.02
12.58	12.58	12.57	12.58	12.58	12.57	12.56	12.56	♂	♀	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	12.57	12.56	12.55	12.56	12.54	12.54	12.53
1.55	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.54	1.53	1.52	1.51	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	1.51	1.51	1.49	1.49	1.47	1.46	1.45
2.52	2.51	2.50	2.50	2.50	2.48	2.47	2.46	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	2.46	2.45	2.43	2.43	2.40	2.39	2.37
3.48	3.48	3.46	3.46	3.45	3.44	3.42	3.41	♀	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	3.41	3.39	3.37	3.35	3.33	3.31	3.29
4.45	4.44	4.43	4.42	4.41	4.39	4.37	4.36	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	4.35	4.34	4.31	4.30	4.26	4.24	4.21

♂ Saturn; ♀ Jupiter; ♂ Mars; ☉ Sun; ♀ Venus; ♀ Mercury; ☾ Moon.

APRIL 15th to 22nd, ANY YEAR
Day Hours; Sunrise to Sunset. Mean Time.

Lat. 27°	Lat. 29°	Lat. 31°	Lat. 33°	Lat. 35°	Lat. 37°	Lat. 39°	Lat. 41°	Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa	Lat. 43°	Lat. 45°	Lat. 47°	Lat. 49°	Lat. 51°	Lat. 53°	Lat. 55°
5.37	5.35	5.33	5.31	5.29	5.27	5.24	5.22	☉	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	5.19	5.17	5.13	5.10	5.06	5.02	4.58
6.41	6.39	6.38	6.36	6.34	6.33	6.30	6.28	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	6.26	6.24	6.21	6.18	6.15	6.12	6.08
7.45	7.43	7.42	7.41	7.40	7.38	7.36	7.35	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	7.33	7.32	7.29	7.27	7.24	7.22	7.19
8.49	8.48	8.47	8.46	8.45	8.44	8.42	8.41	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	8.40	8.39	8.37	8.35	8.33	8.31	8.29
9.53	9.52	9.51	9.51	9.50	9.49	9.48	9.48	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	9.47	9.46	9.45	9.44	9.42	9.41	9.40
10.57	10.56	10.56	10.56	10.55	10.55	10.54	10.54	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	10.54	10.54	10.53	10.52	10.51	10.51	10.50
12.01	12.00	12.00	12.01	12.01	12.01	12.01	12.01	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	12.01	12.01	12.01	12.01	12.00	12.01	12.01
1.04	1.04	1.05	1.05	1.06	1.06	1.07	1.07	☉	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	1.07	1.08	1.08	1.09	1.09	1.10	1.11
2.08	2.08	2.09	2.10	2.11	2.12	2.13	2.13	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	2.14	2.16	2.16	2.18	2.18	2.20	2.21
3.12	3.13	3.14	3.15	3.16	3.17	3.19	3.19	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	3.21	3.23	3.24	3.26	3.27	3.30	3.32
4.16	4.17	4.18	4.20	4.22	4.23	4.25	4.26	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	4.28	4.30	4.32	4.34	4.36	4.40	4.42
5.20	5.21	5.23	5.25	5.27	5.28	5.31	5.33	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	5.35	5.38	5.40	5.43	5.45	5.49	5.53

Night Hours; Sunset to Sunrise.

6.24	6.25	6.27	6.30	6.32	6.34	6.37	6.39	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	6.42	6.45	6.48	6.51	6.54	6.59	7.03
7.20	7.21	7.22	7.25	7.27	7.28	7.31	7.33	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	7.35	7.38	7.40	7.42	7.45	7.49	7.52
8.16	8.17	8.18	8.20	8.21	8.23	8.25	8.26	☉	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	8.28	8.30	8.32	8.34	8.36	8.39	8.42
9.10	9.12	9.13	9.15	9.16	9.17	9.19	9.20	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	9.21	9.23	9.24	9.25	9.27	9.29	9.31
10.08	10.08	10.09	10.10	10.11	10.11	10.12	10.13	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	10.14	10.15	10.16	10.17	10.17	10.19	10.21
11.04	11.04	11.04	11.05	11.05	11.06	11.07	11.07	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	11.07	11.08	11.08	11.08	11.08	11.09	11.10
12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	12.00	12.00	12.00	12.00	11.59	12.00	12.00
12.56	12.55	12.55	12.55	12.55	12.54	12.54	12.54	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	12.53	12.53	12.52	12.51	12.50	12.50	12.49
1.52	1.51	1.50	1.50	1.49	1.49	1.48	1.47	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	1.46	1.45	1.43	1.42	1.41	1.40	1.38
2.48	2.47	2.46	2.45	2.44	2.43	2.42	2.41	☉	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	2.39	2.38	2.35	2.34	2.32	2.30	2.28
3.44	3.43	3.41	3.40	3.39	3.37	3.35	3.34	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	3.32	3.30	3.27	3.25	3.22	3.20	3.17
4.40	4.38	4.37	4.35	4.33	4.32	4.29	4.28	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	4.25	4.23	4.19	4.17	4.13	4.10	4.07

♂ Saturn; ♀ Jupiter; ♂ Mars; ☉ Sun; ♀ Venus; ☿ Mercury; ☾ Moon.

teries, thighs, liver, sense of smell, tin, green and purple, Thursday, Sagittarius.

Good Jupiter arrangements—as on April 3, 16 and 30—indicate its periods for religious work, finance, charity.

Unfavorable Jupiterian aspects — as

those of April 1, 18 and 28—warn against poor judgment, excessive optimism, waste.

SATURN is regent of age, discipline, labor, stability, time, the bones, teeth,

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APRIL 23rd to 30th, ANY YEAR
Day Hours; Sunrise to Sunset. Mean Time.

Lat. 27°	Lat. 29°	Lat. 31°	Lat. 33°	Lat. 35°	Lat. 37°	Lat. 39°	Lat. 41°	Su	M	Tu	W	Th	F	Sa	Lat. 43°	Lat. 45°	Lat. 47°	Lat. 49°	Lat. 51°	Lat. 53°	Lat. 55°
5.28	5.25	5.23	5.21	5.19	5.16	5.13	5.09	☉	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	5.06	5.03	4.59	4.54	4.50	4.45	4.39
6.33	6.31	6.28	6.27	6.26	6.23	6.21	6.17	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	6.15	6.12	6.09	6.05	6.02	5.57	5.52
7.38	7.36	7.35	7.34	7.32	7.30	7.28	7.26	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	7.24	7.22	7.19	7.16	7.13	7.10	7.06
8.43	8.41	8.41	8.40	8.39	8.38	8.36	8.34	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	8.32	8.31	8.29	8.26	8.25	8.22	8.19
9.48	9.47	9.46	9.46	9.46	9.45	9.44	9.42	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	9.41	9.40	9.39	9.37	9.36	9.34	9.32
10.53	10.53	10.52	10.52	10.52	10.52	10.51	10.50	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	10.50	10.49	10.49	10.48	10.48	10.47	10.46
11.59	11.58	11.58	11.59	11.59	11.59	11.59	11.59	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	11.59	11.59	11.59	11.59	11.59	11.59	11.59
1.04	1.04	1.04	1.05	1.06	1.06	1.07	1.07	☉	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	1.07	1.08	1.08	1.09	1.11	1.11	1.12
2.09	2.09	2.10	2.11	2.12	2.13	2.14	2.15	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	2.16	2.17	2.18	2.20	2.22	2.24	2.26
3.14	3.15	3.16	3.17	3.19	3.21	3.22	3.23	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	3.25	3.26	3.28	3.31	3.34	3.36	3.39
4.19	4.20	4.21	4.24	4.26	4.28	4.30	4.32	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	4.34	4.36	4.38	4.42	4.45	4.48	4.52
5.24	5.26	5.27	5.30	5.32	5.35	5.37	5.40	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	5.42	5.45	5.48	5.52	5.57	6.01	6.06

Night Hours; Sunset to Sunrise.

6.29	6.31	6.33	6.36	6.39	6.42	6.45	6.48	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	6.51	6.54	6.58	7.03	7.08	7.13	7.19
7.24	7.26	7.27	7.30	7.32	7.35	7.37	7.40	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	7.42	7.45	7.48	7.52	7.56	8.00	8.06
8.19	8.20	8.21	8.23	8.25	8.27	8.29	8.31	☉	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	8.33	8.35	8.38	8.41	8.45	8.48	8.52
9.14	9.15	9.16	9.17	9.19	9.20	9.22	9.23	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	9.25	9.26	9.28	9.31	9.33	9.35	9.39
10.09	10.09	10.10	10.11	10.12	10.13	10.14	10.15	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	10.16	10.16	10.18	10.20	10.21	10.23	10.25
11.04	11.04	11.04	11.04	11.05	11.05	11.06	11.06	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	11.07	11.07	11.08	11.09	11.10	11.10	11.12
11.59	11.58	11.58	11.58	11.58	11.58	11.58	11.58	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	11.58	11.58	11.58	11.58	11.58	11.58	11.58
12.53	12.53	12.52	12.52	12.51	12.51	12.50	12.50	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	12.49	12.48	12.47	12.47	12.46	12.45	12.45
1.48	1.47	1.46	1.45	1.44	1.43	1.42	1.41	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	1.40	1.39	1.37	1.36	1.35	1.32	1.31
2.43	2.42	2.41	2.39	2.38	2.36	2.35	2.35	☉	☿	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	2.32	2.29	2.27	2.26	2.23	2.20	2.18
3.38	3.36	3.35	3.33	3.31	3.29	3.27	3.25	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	3.23	3.20	3.17	3.15	3.12	3.07	3.04
4.33	4.31	4.29	4.26	4.24	4.21	4.19	4.16	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	♂	4.14	4.10	4.07	4.04	4.00	3.55	3.51

♂ Saturn; ♀ Jupiter; ♂ Mars; ☉ Sun; ♀ Venus; ☿ Mercury; ☾ Moon.



When Should Man-Made Satellites Be Released ?

By Walter Mellinger

Our present heritage carries with it much of the past. God places two and a half billion people on Earth, yet He selects certain ones of us to send out man-made satellites. He will also give someone the privilege of being first in space travel.

By looking to the mind processes of God in an horary way, an Astrologer may be able to predict something beyond the comprehension of any scientist or, more specifically, any Astronomer. The recognition of Divine Providence by each of His subjects permits Him to show a different facet of His substance.

IN ORDER TO DEMONSTRATE WHEN THE FIRST man-made satellites should be sent out to encircle the Earth most effectively, this author must relate his most fabulous prediction and how it came about. With the following information being presented, the reader will find data for further study—or astrological study groups may prepare and compare charts.

Please remember, in order to write for a wide range of readers, one must cover his subject for the novice as well as the veteran Astrologer. This means that every person reading such an article should be a little better informed afterward. This magazine is purchased by the curious, the casually interested reader and the accomplished Astrologer. Therefore, the casual person should skim over the technical portions and gain some new insight, while

the scientific student may put this material to test.

In the March, 1948, issue of another magazine, published in San Diego, California, the author of this article predicted the year ahead. For the month of October, 1948, I gave the following forecast: "This month will be long remembered for the discovery of a new celestial body. The date is October 4, although the world will not know of it at the time of exact discovery. This pertains to some body in our solar system, not a planetoid."

With the afternoon issue of the "San Diego Tribune-Sun"—dated November 10, 1948—appeared the article entitled, "Large Comet to Be Visible for Several Days."

A comet is a part of our solar system!

RUDOLPH M. LIPPERT, A SAN DIEGO ASTRONOMER and "other astronomers reported the comet is the biggest and most brilliant since Halley's Comet passed by the earth on one of its visits every 76 years. This is the first visit of the present comet, astronomers reported."

It was a sneaky comet! For some reason, this celestial body came into the Earth's neighborhood, encircled the Sun and was on its way out before it was first sighted at 2:45 A.M. on the morning of November 1, 1948, from Johannesburg, South Africa. That is the time when this great comet first flashed a tail.

From November 1 until 9, the comet oc-

cupied the southern hemisphere. At its peak, the tail became so long that it stretched across the skies about the length of two decans—or about forty Full Moons placed side by side. Actually, the tail was twenty degrees long; it was visible to the naked eye in San Diego at 5:45 A.M.

As an aside, and as a possibility that comets may take or leave a charge while treating the Sun as a pylon, one might suspect that this great comet may, in reality, be Halley's Comet, which has a known cycle of 76.2 years. Half of 76 years is 38; this, added to 1910—when Halley's made its last appearance—adds up to 1948! Remember, this comet could have come into the Sun's perihelion and left very easily without making a brilliant appendage. We just don't know.

However, this is not how our predictions are being made pertaining to the man-made satellites. Our reasoning is backed up by factual data; yet it is even more sublime.

ALL OF THIS STARTED ON TUESDAY EVENING of March 13, 1781, between 10:00 and 11:00 P.M., at the Greenwich Observatory. Frederick William Herschel and his sister, Caroline Lucretia, were scanning the heavens in the constellation Geminorum. There was a star brighter than the rest—was it a nova or a comet? It behaved differently from the rest. That is how Uranus was discovered. (Both William Herschel and his sister were born in Hanover, England. His birth date was November 15, 1738; Caroline's date of birth was March 16, 1750.)

If the Astronomers would check back to the date of March 13, 1781, when they claim that Uranus was discovered, they would find the right ascension or hour angle of the Moon's south node equal in longitude to 6 degrees 53 minutes of the sign Scorpio. They would also find the longitude of the Moon in Scorpio at 14 degrees 39 minutes at 10:10 P.M. at Greenwich.

Right ascensions, hour angles by sidereal time and degrees and minutes of zodiacal longitudes are always equal when measured from the vernal equinox. (The author prefers to forget degrees and minutes of arc and to transpose the 360 degrees back into 365 days. This would date

6 degrees of Scorpio as October 30, when the Sun transits this position on the same date each year. 1950 is used as the key year because New Year's Day at Greenwich began with the Sun at 10 degrees 00 minutes 17 seconds of Capricorn—as close to ten degrees as possible.)

A FRENCH ASTRONOMER—BORN NEAR THE discovery date of Uranus on March 11, 1811, at St. Lo in Normandy, France—calculated the approximate position of Neptune, mathematically. Then, Urbain Jean Joseph Leverrier sent a letter to German Astronomer Galle, in Berlin. Leverrier claimed that Neptune was located at a right ascension of 326 degrees or at 26 degrees of Aquarius.

On the very evening of the day he had received this letter, Johann Gottfried Galle of the Berlin Observatory took to his telescope; within a half hour, he spied Neptune. Astrologically, this event is recognized at about 8:30 P.M. on September 23, 1846, in Berlin, Germany.

Again, the Moon was in Scorpio, at 6 degrees and 6 minutes, conjunct the Moon's north node at 29 degrees 34 minutes of Libra. The node had just retrograded out of Scorpio.

Three different men share the spotlight of the Neptune discovery—Leverrier, Galle and John Couch Adams. As noted, Leverrier was born two days before the Uranian anniversary of March 13; he died on the 31st anniversary of the date of Neptune's discovery—September 23, 1877.

However, Galle was born June 9, 1812, at Pabsthaus, Prussia. John Couch Adams was his twin for the credit of discovering Neptune, as he was another Geminian. Adams celebrated his natal day on June 5, 1819, at Launceston, Cornwall, England. His natal Moon was at 5 degrees 34 minutes of Scorpio at birth. This Astronomer died on January 21, 1892, which is the future anniversary of Pluto's discovery!

JOHN COUCH ADAMS CLAIMED THAT HE FIRST found Neptune on July 3, 1841. However, this chart has no significant points in Scorpio. It was during the Full Moon of Cancer-Capricorn, which kept the British Government from showing any interest in this discovery. However, on this 1841 date, the longitude of Uranus was 24 de-

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grees of Pisces, as it was transiting its own Sun position when it was discovered.

Percival Lowell was a famous Astronomer. Imagine—the most important dates in his life compared with important birth dates in other planetary discoveries. This Astronomer was born on the Uranian anniversary date of March 13, 1855, in Boston, Massachusetts. It was near the birth dates of Caroline Herschel and Urbain Leverrier, as well as Simon Newcomb. Lowell died on November 12, 1916, at Flagstaff, Arizona; this was near William Herschel's birth date. His marriage was on June 10, 1908, near the birth dates of Galle and Adams.

Furthermore, Percival Lowell had his south node of the Moon at 15 degrees 42 minutes of Scorpio. This is near the degree of the Moon when Uranus was found.

HERE IS A MAN WHO DEVOTED HIS LIFE TO finding this outer planet that we now call Pluto. His calculations were based on the fact that Neptune and Pluto had been conjunct in 1890 and 1891. Pluto was drawing Neptune away from its predicted path when all other factors were considered. By astronomical laws, Lowell was able to compute, as did W. H. Pickering, many salient features as to the position, size, weight and distance of this outer planet. For this reason, Percival Lowell established the Lowell Observatory at Flagstaff, Arizona, in 1894.

It was some thirteen years after Lowell had died in 1916 that success was finally achieved. From 1905 on, photographs were made of the ecliptic, the planetary path paralleling the Sun's path, every two or three days apart. By comparing two photos, any movement of a body deviating from a fixed star was noticed.

Now, here comes the arm-twisting job.

It has commonly been recognized that Pluto was discovered about 7:19 P.M. on January 21, 1930, at Flagstaff, Arizona, by Clyde William Tombaugh. Pluto had practically fulfilled Lowell's predicted size and position.

A horoscope made for this data finds that the Moon's south node was at 7 degrees 50 minutes of Scorpio conjunct the Moon at 6 degrees 22 minutes of the same sign. This was just like Uranus and similar to Neptune.

But Astronomers may nullify this date by claiming that the first photographs of Pluto were made on January 23, with the Moon at 0 degrees of Sagittarius; and on January 29, which verified the movement of the planet. Let's be generous and concede this point to the scientists.

IT IS SURPRISING THAT PLUTO WAS REALLY discovered on February 18, 1930, when the two photos were compared and the planet's movement first noted. Again, the Moon was around ten or twelve degrees of Scorpio, with the Moon's south node at 6 degrees 23 minutes of Scorpio. The "Encyclopedia Britannica" gives the February 18, 1930, date under the title "Pluto."

Therefore, with the Moon in the first half of Scorpio and conjunct one of its nodes there, man has a possible chance for astronomical advancement with phenomenon in our solar system.

In the case of John Couch Adams, his natal Moon in Scorpio made him aware of Neptune.

Before going on, it might be feasible to integrate the birth dates and death dates of our scientists with the discovery dates of the planets.

Uranus—discovered March 13, 1781.

Herschel—born November 15, 1738, and died August 25, 1822.

Caroline—born March 16, 1750, and died January 9, 1848.

Herschel's only son (famous)—born March 7, 1792.

Neptune—discovered September 23, 1846.

Leverrier—born March 11, 1811, and died September 23, 1877.

Galle—born June 9, 1812, and died in 1910.

Adams—born June 5, 1819, and died January 21, 1892.

Pluto—discovered January 21, 1930.

Pluto—announced March 12, 1930.

Lowell—born March 13, 1855, and died November 12, 1916.

Tombaugh—born February 4, 1906, in Streator, Illinois.

This summation should be of interest to the non-Astrologer who might read this magazine article.

IT MIGHT BE WORTHY TO NOTE THAT CLYDE

Tombaugh had his natal Jupiter at 24 degrees of Pisces, equal to the March 13 date, and his Jupiter node at 0 degrees of Libra, equal to September 23!

With all this in mind, let's go back to the 1948 prediction of the author. At this time, and while the great comet was beaming over the morning skies, the author was attending San Diego State College. Dr. Clifford Smith, professor of Astronomy there, was proudly showing his 8 x 10 inch glossy photographs of the display he had made during that morning.

"Look at that tail. It is nine diameters long!" he exclaimed.

"What is a diameter?" he was asked.

He said that it was another term meaning that the tail was nine degrees in length.

Upon being shown the article mentioned at the beginning of this piece, Dr. Smith wanted to know why the prediction was a month off.

Well, let's see!

The author found the Moon's south node at 6 degrees 9 minutes of Scorpio on October 4, 1948. The Moon reached 6 degrees of Scorpio about 3:00 P.M. Greenwich Mean Time, and Mercury was also at 5 degrees of Scorpio. It was around this time that the great comet was entering the Earth's neighborhood—unnoticed.

During the early-morning hours of November 1, 1948, at 2:45 A.M. in Johannesburg, South Africa, the Sun was at 8 degrees 30 minutes of Scorpio, the Moon was at 6 degrees of Scorpio, the south node was at 4 degrees 40 minutes of Scorpio. Some five hours later, there would be an eclipse of the Sun. (It was under the influence of this eclipse and the great comet that Bonnie Prince Charles of England was born on November 14, 1948!)

Therefore, the author was a month early with his prediction; but the same ingredients prevailed when the actual discovery was made!

Mankind wants to send out his own satellites in gaining data for future space-rocket travel. Clyde Tombaugh is currently involved in such research for rockets. During 1957, the Moon's north node is going through Scorpio and will be there until the summer of 1958! This node reaches 6 degrees of Scorpio with the Moon at that position on Monday, January 13, 1958.

Although there are about eight dates about a month apart for sending out the first man-made satellites successfully, this one in January of 1958 appears to be the best for such a venture.

Realizing that God might use another date with the similar ingredients, an Astrologer should list such times.

THE SUN COULD SHORT-CIRCUIT THIS PATTERN from October 24 through November 7, 1957. Otherwise, November 19, December 16-17, 1957, or January 13, February 9, March 8-9, April 5, May 2 or May 29-30, 1958, could be successful launching dates for the first man-made satellites!

In each case, the Moon transits 6 degrees of Scorpio conjunct the north node in the first decan of that sign.

What makes this method fabulous or sublime is that this is a horary pattern for man's mind to be awakened to an astronomical discovery within our solar system.

Scientists know that the Moon and its nodes could not affect the motions of planets and comets beyond the Earth's atmosphere. What they do not know is that God can attune man's mind to His mind in order for humanity to discover His astronomical phenomena by certain astrological correlations.

Who knows? With the next transit of the Moon's south node and conjoining the Moon at 6 degrees of Scorpio on Monday, March 27, 1967—mankind may find himself sitting on the other side of the Moon!

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YOUR APRIL HOUR GUIDE

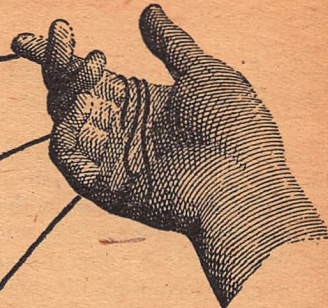
spleen, sense of hearing, rubies, dark colors, Saturday, sign Capricorn.

Under good aspect—as on April 6, 20 and 27—Saturn approves its hours for economy, perseverance, systematizing.

Disciplinary Saturn rays—as those of April 5, 14 and 29—veto dealing with antique dealers, older persons.

URANUS—higher octave of Mercury
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Your Love Money Health



by Rita Del Mar

For the Twelve Signs, for April, 1957



ARIES

The first half of April offers you an excellent chance to promote your popularity and affairs of the heart. You should occupy the center of the stage. Go ahead with all activities of a gregarious nature from April 1 to 17. Venus, planetary ruler of your solar seventh house, is in your Sun-Sign and is well disposed throughout this portion of the month. It offers opportunities for making new contacts and for enjoying yourself. Add attractive items to your wardrobe at this time.

The Sun is in your own sign and in a friendly angle to other planets from April 1 to 18. Push ahead at this time, since you will run into fewer barriers than usual. Fill your time constructively and exert your personality to make things easier. You have fairly good planetary support right now, so get about and make your influence felt.

YOU CAN ATTRACT PEOPLE BY YOUR ZESTFUL attitude between the 1st and 18th. Exert yourself to be friendly, gracious and charming if you want to take full advantage of the openings which are offered. However, place duty before amusement, no matter how tempting the latter is. Your happiest occasions will probably be those which you arrange and organize. Further your pet objectives during the week prior to the 17th, while Venus in your Sun-Sign trines Pluto in your solar fifth house.

Later in the month, you are apt to be impatient of delays and restrictions. If the world does not shape itself entirely to your liking, take advantage of the good chances which do come your way. Be philosophical about having to wait for the rest. Don't be discouraged by alterations in your plans. Taken all in all, April offers a brighter picture and a lightening of the load for you. It still has its share of problems and anxious moments. It is probably to your advantage that you will have to stop and think over some of the things you want to do. Otherwise, you would be inclined to plunge recklessly into shaky or unsuitable enterprises.

PECUNIARY MATTERS SHOULD STRIKE A PROGRESSIVE note during the last week of April and the first six days of May, while your solar second house is well fortified. You should be able to improve the setup by streamlining your schedule of income and outgo. Find new ways to economize or boost the earnings. Put into practice certain short cuts in domestic and office routine which will enable you to get more done in less time.

There should be an upward trend in monetary affairs or concerning possessions during this time. Something you have been working on for some time may come to a head. You may find profit in taking on more work of an individual nature. Your chances for improvement will probably be more indirect than usual. Therefore, keep your eyes open and be ingenious about

uncovering new opportunities. Be satisfied with whatever point of progress you have reached around the 23rd and permit it to point the way to future gains.

YOU SHOULD FEEL MORE IN YOUR ELEMENT this month than usually, since the Sun is in your own sign prior to the 20th. You ought to be more energetic and active. Be sure you channel your energies properly and don't let yourself be stirred to irritability or nervousness with Mars, your ruler, in Gemini. Such feelings can exhaust you and make you more susceptible to indispositions. Aries people, in general, have little to worry about in regard to their health; but don't push your vitality too far. Follow an intelligent hygienic schedule and avoid extremes.



TAURUS

Venus (to the 17th) and the Sun (until the 19th) are posited in your solar twelfth house. From this position, they aid in the solution of problems, especially those which have to do with love interests, amusements and adornments. You should be able to correct some faults in yourself and add to your attractiveness from April 24 to May 5. Venus, your planetary regent, is well aspected *at this time*; so is the Sun and Jupiter. Be alert for helpful suggestions from others and accept them with an open mind. At other times during the month, you may possibly feel slighted or ignored when the credits are passed out. If you are patient, your good work will eventually be recognized.

You can expect some shifts from one phase of gregarious interests to another around the 18th to 21st. Be alert to what is happening, as it will all add up to experience. Keep your plans and ideas to yourself. Spend some of your leisure in quiet reflection around this part of the month. Shun opposition, dissension, misunderstandings.

THE SUN WILL BE IN YOUR OWN BIRTH-SIGN after the 20th, as Venus is following the 18th. Together, these planets tend to heighten your individual appeal and enliven your surroundings. Your vitality keeps pace with the rising tide of spring. Devote this energy to a worthy objective.

Assert yourself sufficiently to make good progress, but don't stand on your rights just to prove that you can do so. Put forth all the extra effort of which you are capable in personal interests. Make the most of your best contacts.

If you belong to any group or organization, be a conscientious worker. You will accomplish something not only for others, but for yourself as well. Some of the things which mean a great deal to you will be within your grasp during April and May. You can depend on the assistance of well-wishers. But take no chances in these respects around the 18th to 23rd.

MARS IN YOUR SOLAR SECOND HOUSE TENDS to stir your financial setup during April, according to your solar chart. Make a special effort to advance contacts that can possibly add to your pecuniary advantages. It should be possible for you to broaden and strengthen your foundations in these respects so that the situation can have a beneficial influence on your earnings and possessions.

Go back over transactions and check for errors or points you have overlooked before. Don't commit yourself financially or assume any further responsibilities without good reason around the 18th, 19th, 20th and 21st, while Venus—planetary sovereign of expenditures for diversion and adornment—is not well aspected. If any important decisions are pending, make them around the first 17 days of April and during the first week of May, when your pecuniary acumen is more reliable.

DON'T IGNORE YOUR PHYSICAL CONDITION this month. Eat wisely and get plenty of rest. Not only your bodily well-being, but also the efficiency of your mental outlook depends in great measure on a proper health regimen. You are apt to be quite popular, since your magnetism is at a high during portions of April and May. However, don't upset your regular schedule by accepting too many invitations.



GEMINI

There is a special emphasis on friendships and associations with others during April. Get better acquainted

with those contacts you would like to know more intimately. Renew old companion-

ships. Invite groups into your home. Set the pattern for pleasant evenings or other festive occasions. Your pals can probably help you formulate your plans in this respect. Pay particular attention to things of importance to you as an individual, such as recreation, loved ones, sentimental inclinations. You may make new friends and attend a lavish affair.

Give heed to personal appearance and the effect you make on others. Have a session at the beauty parlor. Initiate that diet you have been considering. Make a more careful study of color harmony and other aids to smart grooming. The more attractive you make yourself, the more others will desire your company. But don't forget that outward appearance is only one side of the picture.

YOU HAVE ALSO TO GROOM YOUR MIND AND manners. Adopt a sincere, genuine approach to those you meet. If you are still searching for your ideal, take part in some altruistic work in which you believe and contact people whose interests are akin to yours. Take pleasure in meeting and talking things over with people you know. These talks can lead to additional contacts and opportunities for you.

April 18 marks the beginning of a termination to one phase of your year. Employ the span which immediately follows it to clear the slate of unfinished business. Be ready for a new era at the end of May. Solve problems which have been hanging on. If you need additional information in order to do so, go after it. Be of assistance to others whenever you see the chance. Be careful of your vital forces and keep in good condition. Preserve your reputation and standing; avoid doing anything which might start tongues wagging. If discord crops up, try to settle it with justice to all concerned.

With Jupiter transiting your solar fourth house, you should find that your home and base of operations attract more of your attention. Problems and their solution gain new prominence in your affairs. Keep your eye strictly on the road ahead. Take care of each task or obstacle as it arises. Use originality to make progress in the solution of difficulties.

BE WARY DURING THE GREATER PORTION OF April in matters involving finances and

possessions. Conflicting influences may incline you to risks and upsets. Monetary matters call for discretion and careful handling. Do not permit another, or others, to tax your resources of money or vitality. Don't spend too much on showing someone a good time. Keep the budget down to a minimum figure. You can accomplish most in the way of gain and buy to best advantage if you count the costs beforehand. This will be particularly the case from April 1 to 5, while the Sun and Venus are backing Saturn, planetary ruler of your solar eighth house.

Be particularly careful concerning pecuniary interests and property around the 5th, 6th, 9th, 18th, 19th, 21st and 23rd. Don't try to mix business and pleasure then. Be slow to grant or request credit, give or accept advice on pecuniary deals—except under the spur of absolute necessity around these dates.

THE FIRST TWO DAYS OF APRIL AND THE days following the 24th give you a good chance to work out a better regimen of diet and health habits. Get a physical examination if you suspect anything is wrong with you. Mars still brings its influence to bear on your immediate surroundings and health setup. Keep things running as smoothly as you can and avoid all unnecessary strain on your nerves.



CANCER

Venus (planet of sociability) and the Sun (the planet which tends to vitalize your interests) are in prominent

positions in April. This situation, extending to the 18th, should add to your chances for improving matters having to do with ambitions, prestige, business or career. You may find your standing is improved. Work done in the past is apt to be acknowledged. You should be able to get on a better footing with those in authority. Combine business and pleasure; include employers, employees or fellow workers in your recreational plans then.

Business affairs should improve around these dates. Career matters, employment and prestige should also be forwarded. You should be able to further some important commercial or job undertaking satisfactorily. Have luncheon with business associates or invite key figures into your

home. Put your best foot forward in every way. It should rebound to your advantage through the awakened interest of higher-ups.

After April 19, you will likely be caught up in more of a social whirl which may also involve your associates. You may meet interesting people of a creative bent. Don't be slow to speak a word of praise or encouragement where it is deserved. Express your appreciation for even small favors which come your way. Take care not to bruise anyone's sensibilities, especially one of your close circle. There is a likelihood that you will have to cheer or soothe the feelings of someone you care for.

HAVE MORE CONFIDENCE IN YOURSELF following the 24th, and let your friends see that you have; they will be more likely to share it. Venus, the natural ruler of your solar fourth house of hospitality, is posited very high in your solarscope. You will find your friendships strengthened. Reach out into wider fields and conceive important projects of greater scope than usual. April is a good time to delve into practical subjects in which you are interested.

Between the 18th and 20th, guard against extravagance and upsets. However, matters tend to right themselves in time; so don't become too disturbed about them. Don't try to put up a front; keep your cards on the table.

OPPORTUNITIES TO PROMOTE YOUR AMBITIONS along career lines should be made to result in financial gains during the first 18 days of April. However, bear in mind that you tend to attract ups and downs in respect to finances and belongings and refrain from taking chances in these matters. You should try to improve income from career or business ventures while the Sun and Venus are well aspected in your solar eleventh house from April 24 to May 6. Circumstances can work out in your favor if you are on the job.

THERE WILL PROBABLY BE SOME TESTS OF your bodily condition during April. If you need the advice or help of a physician, go after it around the 1st to 5th and following the 24th. Jupiter is well aspected then. You will have a more cheerful attitude

and will be able to discern more clearly what you lack and want.



LEO

The Sun, your planetary regent, is in a friendly position in your solar map until the 19th. Venus, planet of attraction, is here, too, prior to the 18th. With the approval of these planets, you should be able to improve relationships with in-laws, people at or from a distance and persons whom you meet en route.

Shape up contacts with people you care for so that they have a purpose and meaning for you. Indulge yourself in whatever form of artistic enjoyment you prefer. Keep your spirits up; don't take chances from the 18th to 21st, while Venus opposes Neptune and squares Uranus. Refrain from feeling upset if people whom you look up to seem to have little regard for ideas which mean a great deal to you. Examine your attitudes and strengthen your faith in what is worth clinging to. In the last analysis, don't let anyone else make up your mind for you.

It seems probable that what you do for pleasure at this time will have some connection with trips, in-laws or future plans. Mental excursions into metaphysical and abstract subjects are also likely now. Try to get out among those you know and attend group affairs. Contact new people around the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 12th, 14th and 17th. Attend church activities and welfare groups. While helping others, you will be associating with people who can in turn help you.

SPEND SOME OF YOUR LEISURE BETWEEN THE 1st and 17th in going over matters on which you have had to pass judgment or make up your mind. See if you detect any errors which you can rectify. On the dates not mentioned, use care en route and as to what you write or promise in connection with social interests. Be extra tactful with relatives.

On April 14, the Sun conjoins Venus in your solar ninth house. This aspect enables you to have a deeper understanding with those you care for and, perhaps, to take short journeys. You can also depend on your foresight and clarity of view in planning for the future. Do some spadework in this regard. These planets are

very well aspected in a prominent portion of your solar map and lend their support to the development of these matters.

MUTUAL MONEY MATTERS AND PARTNERSHIP interests require closer scrutiny than normally this month. It is quite possible that either you or your partner will engage in confidential or undercover activities. Your personal monetary interests may be advanced prior to the 4th, from the 24th to May 6. However, between these dates, be guarded against a tendency to extravagance. Refrain from either lending or borrowing.

URANUS IN YOUR OWN BIRTH SIGN IS regressing, and it is not well aspected. If you avoid a tendency to hasty and impulsive action, it will help you to discover ways and means of contracting waste. Depend only on what is safe and sure; do not follow hunches.

You should be able to increase your vitality during the first 19 days of the month, while the Sun is in a helpful angle. If you have some persistent or recurrent difficulty, it is best that you take care of it now. Pay attention to diet, and eat for the nutritional value of the food rather than to please the appetite. Your considered judgment, as well as that of your health advisers, is good; follow a constructive course. However, be guarded against a tendency to upsets; be careful in transit and concerning personal, dietary and health matters.



VIRGO

Your abilities as a host or hostess can be utilized to enhance your prestige. Affairs of the heart should progress satisfactorily for the most part. You will likely make worth-while acquaintances and have a chance to gain through the use of your assets or those of others. You can also save money by renovating various things which are out of service because of disrepair. You should make a more positive impression on people because of your increased magnetism.

The positions of Venus and the Sun prior to the 20th indicate that you will be inclined to keep your private interests to yourself and will profit by so doing. Don't divulge your plans too soon. Others will

probably confide in you, too, since they know that you will help them all you can. If others offer to pick up the check, accept their hospitality—especially if it would be a hardship for you to meet your share. Your friendship can more than compensate for the outlay.

However, gregarious activities should play second fiddle where mutual finances are involved. Spend the greater portion of April in relaxing forms of enjoyment, either in solitude or with quiet groups of congenial pals. Follow up interesting hobbies. Indulge in quiet contemplation of fundamental causes of recurrent discord. Overcome obstacles which seem to bar your way in connection with money and love. You will probably be much better prepared to handle these matters later because of some intervals of calm thought.

Whatever you do throughout April will be colored by your emotions more than normally. Those things which touch your heart loom large in importance, and a tender haze of sentiment will shroud some of your activities. You feel strongly the burgeoning of your deepest desires and will need to make an effort to be practical about them.

YOUR SOLAR EIGHTH HOUSE which has to do with mutual money and possessions and joint pecuniary interests—is accented during April. You should be able to make progress in these matters prior to the 18th. Stretch the budget during this time. In the rest of this span, reflect before you spend and ward off any trends which would depreciate the value of your holdings. Take plenty of time to make up your mind about any move which involves money.

The entire planetary setup urges economy and protection of funds. Sleep over the signing of important documents. Make sure before you assume additional obligations that it is your duty to do so. Solve problems of a cooperative nature and, perhaps, free some tied up cash.

YOUR PHYSICAL STATE DURING APRIL depends, in greater measure than usual, on your mental outlook. Ups and downs of feelings will result in highs and lows of energy. But if you have no particular indisposition when the month begins, you will probably not be seriously affected.

However, teach yourself not to dwell on your problems. Keep calm and confident in the face of disconcerting developments if you wish to maintain your health at a high level. Keep clear of upsets of any kind.



LIBRA

Venus, to the 18th, is posited in your opposite sign, Aries; the Sun is here, too, until the 19th. You should be able

to attract others and draw forth their cooperation. Enjoy their companionship more than usual. You can expect the affairs of your partner in either marriage or business to be on the upgrade. Since close associates are likely to be more optimistic and cheerful, you should have some very pleasant times together. Should you be "in single harness," you have a chance to choose someone now of a compatible disposition.

Your customary charm will be still more intensified prior to the 18th. You should find it easier to draw the approving attention of those individuals in whom you are interested. Add to your attractiveness and interest for those of the other sex. It should be possible to further heart interests. Conserve energy and money; stay clear of complications between the 19th and 21st, while Venus is afflicted.

Friendships and matters having to do with clubs and groups are subject to ups and downs during April. You can carry out an out-of-the-ordinary enterprise in those fields, but should not take undue chances in this respect. Things should go well in connection with your outside or public interests during the first half of April. You should be able to advance matters having to do with cooperative affairs then.

YOU MAY FIND A NEW WAY TO BRING IN cash through partnership or mutual money interests. Your progress depends not only on your own labor, but also on your discretion in cooperating with one who has what it takes to supplement your qualities. Whatever outlay you make, put it in things you need or can use to advantage in your work. Perhaps you may settle some pending deals to advantage around April 24 to May 6, while the Sun and Venus in your solar eighth house are well aspected.

Openings will beckon to you from various directions. Earlier in the month (by the 18th), you should have a fairly clear idea of how things are shaping up and in what respects you need to be especially alert. You can buy, sell—promote your personal monetary interests actively during the entire month, since Pluto (ruler of your solar second house) is well aspected.

YOUR PHYSICAL WELL-BEING IS BOUND UP with partnership, public and employment affairs during April. They are affected by any anxiety or tension caused by difficulties in these connections. Until the 17th and after the 24th are your best times for seeking information, cooperation and assistance in overcoming disorders which may be troubling you. With Mercury and Venus hostile to Neptune to April 19, you should make arrangements ahead of time to tone down unnecessary exertion. Keep from wasting the energy you need for your work.



SCORPIO

Venus—the planet of smooth relationships — favors dealings with those who work with you or who depend on you during the first 18 days of April. The spans centering on the 2nd, 4th, 5th, 14th and 17th are best in these respects. Enhance the appearance and atmosphere of your base of operations. Be alert to ways and means of bettering relationships. Give service; you will find that it pays above and beyond the satisfaction of having given someone a needed lift. Invest in attractive clothes, and take a forward-looking view of things in general. If you have felt weighed down by obligations, this may break your sense of limitations to some degree.

The stimulus of Mercury and Venus for portions of April, plus that of the Sun after the 20th, stresses your association with those around you. Move forward through working cooperatively with others. However, do not expect too much in this connection around the 19th to 23rd, when opposition or discord may weaken your plans. Be in a position to stand on your own feet emotionally. Put little dependence on teamwork during this interlude. Be rather reserved about expressing your innermost feelings even to your nearest

and dearest. You will fare best if you are kind and considerate—but independent.

From the 24th to the end of April and from May 1 to 6 comprise congenial spans for your outside interests. Go out more and attend large gatherings; take part in public events if the chance comes your way. Establish yourself in the good graces of those whose opinion you value. It is likely that you will have something to do with a wedding, announcement party or some such affair.

RELATIVE TO YOUR PERSONAL BANK ACCOUNT, Saturn continues to dominate this sector. This planet is well aspected until April 5. It lends encouragement to whatever concerns the purse or belongings then. This is an appropriate time for working out dilemmas. Push through deals already in the making which may have profit in them for you. Following this date, be economical, careful in connection with pecuniary concerns.

Forward mutual or partnership money matters prior to the 2nd and after the 24th. Between these dates, you should be particularly careful in anything which concerns joint monetary matters. Do not ask for or grant credit if you can avoid doing so. Defer the signing of any agreements of moment till a later date. Purchase only after careful inspection to make sure you are getting what you think you are. Keep your wits about you; don't become careless with small things such as your purse, hat, gloves, umbrella or packages.

THE MARS ACCENT IS ON PARTNERSHIP OR mutual money matters, on property or funds held by others in which you have an interest. Between the 3rd and 23rd, there is a likelihood that hostile influences may cause loss or upset in regard to these. Move cautiously in all such deals, and take special care of anything you have borrowed from another. However, it is possible that this unfriendly period may be offset by a bit of good fortune. But this is not to be counted on with any certainty, since a lot will depend on your ability to recognize true values when you see them. Don't relax your efforts to be thrifty and saving and to renovate or recondition whatever can be used to further advantage.

THE FIRST 18 DAYS OF APRIL PROVIDE FAIRLY

good times to give serious consideration to any health problems which demand attention. Find out how you may better your physical well-being then. It may be that you can improve matters by choosing a wiser menu and having the determination to stick to it. Add to your wardrobe and stock of necessities then.



SAGITTARIUS

Sentimental attachments should thrive during a large portion of April. Your friendliness, kindness, tact

and unremitting attentiveness will bear dividends in the form of increased popularity prior to the 18th. Your knowledge of the social graces will arouse a response in members of the other sex. Come out of your shell; decide what you wish to attain and lay plans to reach it. Develop self-confidence. Use personal attractiveness to gain the approval of key persons who can further your desires. Venus is well aspected around the 2nd, 4th, 5th, 14th and 17th. Make these dates count in connection with the above.

You should make interesting acquaintances among those you serve or who serve you. You may also experience a strong attraction toward someone who has not enjoyed the advantages you have. In this case, go slowly until you are well acquainted with this person. Better the understanding between you and those you work for—or those whom you employ. You will probably find worth-while bargains within your means in the way of personal items and articles of adornment as well as more necessary things. You should also feel a new interest in your work setting.

RELATIONS WITH LOVED ONES ARE STRESSED by the Venus and Sun transits of your solar fifth house prior to the 20th. Special stimulus will be felt on entertainment and recreational activities. Make the most of whatever teamwork you find and adapt to difficulties instead of trying to break through right now.

If you are involved in legal matters, call on all your caution. Don't think that victory is going to come without an effort—or that your opponents have nothing on their side. Be equally careful about important agreements or other writings, particularly

if they require your signature or commit you in any way. If they must be attended to now, don't be rushed; when in doubt, let the other fellow make the first move.

PRIVATE MONEY MATTERS ARE NOT ACCENTED during April insofar as your solar map is concerned. Neither is there much stress on those interests in which you share ownership or responsibility with others. Stretch mutual funds through clever and resourceful ideas. Don't buy new things if your ingenuity can figure out ways to continue to make good use of what you have.

Be careful not to upset the apple cart in connection with joint holdings and accounts. Keep control of your shared bank account if possible, since complications are probable. Be cautious as to what you sign in this respect.

FROM APRIL 24 TO MAY 6 IS A GOOD TIME TO size up the situation insofar as your physical welfare is concerned. Practice the exercise of turning the head from side to side when offered second helpings if you have a fondness for overindulgence. Stick to a practical hygienic schedule. Your diversissements and emotional interests will affect your well-being in one way or another. It is up to you to make sure that they contribute too, rather than deplete, your zest.

During the dates not mentioned, be more guarded. It would be better if you do not try to settle physical questions then. Prepare to give your best thought to constructive measures regarding employment as well as health around the 24th to 30th, from May 1 to 6.



CAPRICORN

The Sun (prior to the 20th) and Venus (to the 18th) are in a sector of your solar chart which concerns home

and family matters. Your domicile and office are quite likely to be the center of attention in some way. Get busy with matters which involve property or affect the home folks, parental interests. However, avoid being edgy in such things now. If you have run into disagreement over anything, discuss and make concessions. Conclude the question to everyone's satisfaction.

You may have good ideas for improving the domestic center or base of operations. Make these more pleasant places to be in. You may take occasion to appreciate the attractiveness of one or the other of these centers and ask others in to share them. Now is a good time to include those in authority whom you have not had the courage to invite before. You are likely to find they are very "regular people."

AFTER THE 24TH, YOU WILL HAVE THE SUPPORT of the Sun and Venus from your house of pleasure to speed up merrymaking. Take advantage of this and make the most of the intervening days. This interval is also propitious for developing creative and artistic abilities. Follow the inclinations of your heart. Indulge yourself in good times which will not bring later regrets. You will find more happiness than usual with children and feel younger after a period in their company. You will also experience pleasure in artistic creation, especially if you are on the planning end of things. Ideas should take form more easily than usual.

Until April 3, you are within a Mercury cycle which arouses your thought and sends it along hitherto untraveled roads. You may surprise and gratify yourself at the originality of some of your ideas. Take advantage of every chance for improving your mental and educational equipment. Take trips and visit nearby places. If you are of a mechanical or inventive turn of mind, suggestions may come thick and fast. They will be worth developing and carrying out.

THERE IS NO PARTICULAR PLANETARY INDICATION of alterations in the personal budgetary setup during April. But with Uranus—ruler of your personal financial affairs—not very well aspected, in the house of mutual or joint money matters, you had better stick to tried and true paths. Try to make progress along lines you are already engaged in; play safe even in these respects. Don't take too optimistic a view and be encouraged to spend what you have not yet received. With Saturn—your planetary ruler—regressing, economy is a must. Be sparing of cash, strength and time; find ways to avoid waste of possessions.

Uranus puts emphasis on partnership and mutual monetary matters. Therefore,

you need to call on your ingenuity to make the best of things as they are and keep things harmonious in this connection.

IF YOU NEED TO GIVE ATTENTION TO HYGIENIC matters, the span around the 1st and 2nd and that following the 24th can be used to best effect. You have a more optimistic attitude then. If you need competent medical attention, seek it within these periods. Between times, be wary of rushing around too much, creating strains and stresses. Shun haste, too.



AQUARIUS

Use any opportunities you have prior to the 18th to make calls or visits you have in mind or for short trips out of town. You will find a welcome waiting for you among your family and acquaintances. Reach by correspondence those you cannot contact in person. Keep your approach open and pleasant. You will be rewarded by a revival of old ties and a forging of new ones which will brighten and refresh your life.

You should find it easier to put into words those intangible feelings and thoughts which generally elude you. Thus, you can make yourself better understood by others. Take part in entertainment projects, invite guests, get around more freely.

THE CORE OF YOUR INTERESTS CONTINUES to be your family circle or property. Pride of ownership will inspire you to make improvements and assure greater satisfaction and enjoyment to you. Recondition old furniture or other belongings and use good taste in adding new pieces to get the best effect. Do and say the things which will best express your personality. Those close to your home or base of operations are apt to give you a hand in this work and have fun doing it.

You may find a happy ending to various questions in the span between the 1st and 18th, particularly if you put your attention on enterprises which you started some time before. Don't wait for others to make the first move toward friendliness. Have lunch with them or have them come to dinner and let them know you are fond of them.

JUPITER STILL TRANSITS YOUR HOUSE OF mutual money interests and is regressing. It is fairly well aspected during the first four days of the month and from the 24th to May 6. Progress is likely; but it is not apt to be steady, as this planet tends toward flexibility. Adapt yourself and see what good you can glean from each phase. Circumstances may compel you to find better methods of managing assets and earnings and better systems of records. This uncertainty as to the next turning may keep you under tension to some extent. But you will probably find that it works to your eventual advantage.

Monetary matters are tied in with your partner or close associates to a degree. Revisions are slated for whatever relates to professional interests. Be careful in connection with those in authority. It would be to your disadvantage to try to bring changes about purposely or according to your own schedule.

From the 5th to 23rd, mutual monetary affairs are not as advantageously indicated as earlier in the month and in the period following the 25th and continuing until May 6. "Walk chalk" to make sure that no act of yours precipitates a change. In particular, don't try to force things your way. Be especially careful regarding the above around the 23rd.

URANUS, YOUR PLANETARY REGENT, IS IN your opposite sign. This planet tends to ups and downs in moods. Try to take a more cheerful view of the daily round. Banish worry over trifles; take care of bodily troubles promptly. You should be able to arrange a better regimen of work and recreation and get more accomplished with less effort. However, do not make important alterations in your daily schedule or accept a final word on a physical problem.



PISCES

The solar and Venusian accent is on money matters and belongings for the most part during April. You might profitably spend time and money brushing up on etiquette and social behavior until you are more sure of yourself. Your popularity will benefit from this procedure as well as from greater attention to appearance and wardrobe. However, don't let

your choice of associates be a matter of chance. Pick them with more than usual care, and be sure they measure up to a high standard. If you are uncertain of their true nature, wait until you are sure of yourself. Appraise them before you give your confidence.

People may truly be interested in you as a person, as they seem to be; or they may be cultivating you because of material advantages or pleasures they can gain through you. Time is the best judge. Your taste in clothes and personal adornment is dependable right now, so invest in additions to your wardrobe if possible.

THE SUN AND VENUS ARE IN YOUR SOLAR third house after the 20th and are well aspected from April 24 to May 6. They can brighten your life from time to time with short excursions, calls and diversions. One invitation will probably lead to another until you find yourself caught up in a succession of events. Some profit may ensue, over and above the pleasure of each occasion. This may come to you through something kind which you say or write.

Try for a deeper understanding with those you care for. You will likely be more responsive to the cultural arts now and take keener enjoyment in them. You will be lifted out of yourself into another plane of thought. Take a short journey for the fun of it during this period. You will enjoy discussing things with others; it will be easier to express your own views and to comprehend theirs. However, use greater care en route.

YOUR APRIL HOUR GUIDE

—represents change, freedom, intuition, invention, originality, the ankles, uranium, mixed colors, sign Aquarius.

Good Uranian aspects—as of April 10, 12 and 26—approve Mercury's hours for innovations, altruism, aeronautics.

Less favorable Uranian alignments—as those of April 1, 21 and 29—warn against fadism, disorder, unconventionality.

NEPTUNE—higher octave of Venus—signifies esthetics, finesse, fiction, seismology, confidences, perfumes, neptunium, the feet, sign Pisces.

Helpful Neptunian aspects—as those of

If you feel somewhat eclipsed in the group in which you move, it may be that a relative will be able to present you in such a way that others take favorable notice. Develop your mind as well as your social graces during April. You will be a more interesting individual and conversationalist. It does not pay to sit on the sidelines and wish moodily for what you want. Be very sure of what you wish to attain; then turn on your smile, charm or wits—and go get it. However, use greater care in transit and as to what you say, write or sign around the 19th to 23rd.

THE SUN AND VENUS TO THE 18TH WILL bring helpful stimuli to bear on the bank account and help you fatten it if you make the necessary effort. Your job or investments can provide increased returns at this time. Be active in pursuit of pecuniary goals. However, put on the brakes where spending is concerned. Be certain that you get your money's worth.

URANUS TRANSITS YOUR SOLAR SIXTH house, which should, on occasion, lift your spirits and sense of general well-being. However, it is not well aspected this month and you need to make sure that you get sufficient rest and follow a light diet. Indulge in forms of recreation which are not too taxing on time and energy. Do not take problems too seriously that come up concerning work or health. There is an atmosphere of tension which you should combat by taking it easy and not allowing yourself to get worked up over anything, especially if you cannot change it.

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April 10, 12 and 24—favor Venus-ruled hours for art, ocean travel, photography.

Unfavorable Neptune placings—as those of April 5, 21 and 29—frown on artificiality, deception, confusion, fantasy.

PLUTO—higher octave of Mars—symbolizes death, inheritance, insurance, conscience, regeneration, the masses, taxes, the underworld, sign Scorpio.

When in good position—as on April 1, 18 and 28—Pluto approves Mars hours for making wills, renovations, salvage.

An inimical Pluto—as that of April 16, 23 or 26—warns of brutality, force, gangs.

Worry and Negative Emotions Can Be Dangerous

WHAT DO YOU FEAR?

by Katherine Holbrook

We all know, or should know, the psychological effects of fear on the nature of the human being. It is strange how well one can be aware of it and very often preach to others not to be overcome by fear in some respect—and then, upon self-analysis, realize that one is indulging in the same negative emotion.

Some of us relegate this emotion to some form of physical reaction. Yet most of the reasons we indulge in this emotion are, on the whole, mental reactions. These mental reactions can be far more dangerous to our well-being because we are not always aware that we are mentally fearing something. Many persons assert that they do not fear anything because they call the emotion in which they indulge worry.

But worry is a form of fear, for it is apprehension, in some degree, of something occurring that will be unfavorable or undesirable. It may be something that is merely unpleasant or inconvenient to the person or it may go all the way to fear of harm to the physical well-being. Again, it may be fear of an unstable monetary status, the lack of good health. The mere thought of eventual death of the physical self is fearful to some persons.

PERHAPS THE MOST COMMON OF ALL THESE fears is that involving our monetary status. It may be argued that without this fear, the average human being would lack the ambition to succeed in supplying his needs in a material sense. We agree that we all need ambition to some extent in order to succeed, but this ambition does not need to be supported by fear. All that is required is a constant awareness of our material needs for our physical well-being.

All the other fears are ghosts with which

man taunts himself through misconceptions of proper existence. If he demands more of life than his self-status can supply—either in a monetary, social or moral sense—or subjects his physical body to needless abuses (which he often is aware are harmful), then he brings within his conscious mind a feeling that he cannot control these conditions and begins to worry how to overcome his lack.

All this is negative mental reaction and, of course, highly detrimental to our well-being, taking its toll on the physical body. Medical doctors are now agreed that worry, especially when it reaches the stage of anxiety, results in gastric ulcers, coronary thrombosis and many other ailments; it causes the metabolic action to function improperly. The physician cannot control the patient's mind, so he must resort to physical means to aid him.

We hear so much about an inferiority complex. This is simply emotional instability in some form and usually stems from a feeling of insecurity due to concern over a lack within oneself that the conscious mind endeavors to suppress. Anxiety over not being in the same social or monetary status as our associates or neighbors is a frequent cause. Sometimes this takes on a feeling of fear concerning the opinion of associates and often causes the person to strut or to be overbearing in an endeavor to submerge this fear of inferiority. However, such a person will deny fear.

EVERY TIME A PERSON INDULGES IN FEAR, worry, anxiety, apprehension, even mere fretting, he is using up energy that is needed to act as a dynamo for the functioning of his body. This is all due to a negative reaction to the radiation of Sat-

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APRIL 1957 EPHEMERIS

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Geocentric Longitude

Apr.	Sidereal Time			Sun		Mercury		Venus		Moon		Mars		Jupiter		Saturn	
	h	m	s	°	'	°	'	°	'	°	'	°	'	°	'	°	'
1 M	12	37	10	11	12	22	54	22	7	20	32	8	59	25	17	14	15
2 T	12	41	7	12	11	24	50	31	9	1	3	9	37	24	15	14	17
3 W	12	45	3	13	10	26	44	26	10	15	32	15	44	24	48	14	19
4 T	12	49	0	14	9	28	35	43	11	29	59	28	38	24	41	14	16
5 F	12	52	56	15	9	3	23	59	12	44	25	11	45	24	34	14	7
6 S	12	56	53	16	8	2	8	52	13	58	50	25	8	24	28	14	52
7 S	13	0	50	17	7	3	50	1	15	13	15	12	45	24	21	14	31
8 M	13	4	46	18	6	5	27	7	16	27	38	22	41	24	14	14	4
9 T	13	8	43	19	5	6	59	51	17	41	59	6	53	24	8	14	5
10 W	13	12	39	20	3	8	27	57	18	56	20	21	20	24	1	14	32
11 T	13	16	36	21	2	9	51	11	20	10	39	15	16	23	55	14	12
12 F	13	20	32	22	1	11	9	20	21	24	57	15	54	23	49	14	23
13 S	13	24	29	23	0	12	22	11	22	39	15	15	25	23	43	15	29
14 S	13	28	25	23	59	13	29	37	23	53	32	19	58	23	37	15	30
15 M	13	32	22	24	57	14	31	28	25	7	47	17	47	23	31	13	25
16 T	13	36	19	25	56	15	27	37	26	22	2	18	25	23	25	13	15
17 W	13	40	15	26	55	16	17	57	27	36	16	1	50	23	20	13	1
18 T	13	44	12	27	53	17	2	25	28	50	29	15	1	23	15	13	41
19 F	13	48	8	28	52	17	40	56	0	4	41	27	49	20	9	13	45
20 S	13	52	5	29	50	18	13	28	1	18	52	10	18	23	4	13	45
21 S	13	56	1	0	49	18	39	59	2	33	2	22	31	22	59	13	10
22 M	13	59	58	1	48	19	0	31	3	47	12	22	11	22	54	13	37
23 T	14	3	54	2	46	19	15	6	5	8	21	22	11	22	50	13	46
24 W	14	7	51	3	44	19	23	49	6	15	29	28	19	23	45	13	57
25 T	14	11	48	4	43	19	26	46	7	29	36	10	14	22	41	13	31
26 F	14	15	44	5	41	19	24	8	8	43	43	22	14	22	37	13	4
27 S	14	19	41	6	40	19	16	7	9	57	48	25	19	22	33	13	23
28 S	14	23	37	7	38	19	9	9	11	11	53	16	44	22	29	13	54
29 M	14	27	34	8	36	18	45	9	12	25	57	29	19	22	25	13	16
30 T	14	31	30	9	35	18	22	53	13	40	0	12	7	22	22	13	27

PLANETARY LATITUDES

April 1957, 0^h E.S.T.

Geocentric Declination and Latitude

Apr.	Sun D		Moon D		Moon L		Mercury D		Mercury L		Venus D		Venus L		Mars D		Mars L		Jupiter D	
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3	5	12	16	56	N	0	11	8	0	53	2	50	1	21	23	13	1	14	3	29
4	5	35	19	6	S	0	11	59	1	5	3	19	1	20	23	18	1	14	3	32
5	5	58	20	17	1	56	12	48	1	16	3	49	1	19	23	24	1	14	3	34
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9	7	28	13	38	5	4	15	43	1	59	5	48	1	14	23	44	1	15	3	45
10	7	51	9	27	5	12	16	21	2	8	6	17	1	13	23	48	1	15	3	47
11	8	13	N	4	5	0	16	56	2	17	6	47	1	12	23	53	1	15	3	50
12	8	35	S	0	4	29	17	28	2	25	7	16	1	10	23	57	1	16	3	52
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25	13	6	S	3	4	56	20	7	2	37	13	15	0	49	24	35	1	17	4	17
26	13	25	N	1	4	26	19	59	2	29	13	40	0	47	24	37	1	17	4	18
27	13	45	5	11	3	45	19	48	2	20	14	6	0	45	24	38	1	17	4	20
28	14	4	9	14	2	52	19	34	2	10	14	31	0	43	24	40	1	17	4	21
29	14	23	12	57	1	50	19	18	1	59	14	55	0	41	24	41	1	17	4	22
30	N	14	N	16	N	0	N	19	N	1	N	15	S	0	N	24	N	1	N	4

○ Full Moon, Apr. 14, 7:09 a.m., $24^{\circ} \approx 16' 32''$

○ Sun enters Taurus, Apr. 20, 3:42 a.m.

● New Moon, Apr. 29, 6:54 p.m., $9^{\circ} 8' 22'' 58''$

PLANETARY

CONFIGURATIONS

EASTERN STANDARD TIME

Uranus ♅	Neptune ♆	Pluto ♇	Moon's Node ♁
° / ' "	° / ' "	° / ' "	° / ' "
2 25 4	1 46 52	28 16 6	21 56 0
2 25 36	1 45 21	28 15 5	21 52 8
2 53 11	1 43 50	28 14 5	21 49 6
2 52 50	1 42 17	28 13 7	21 46 4
2 52 32	1 40 44	28 12 10	21 43 3
2 52 16	1 39 11	28 11 15	21 40 1
2 52 5	1 37 37	28 10 21	21 36 9
2 51 56	1 36 2	28 9 28	21 33 7
2 51 51	1 34 27	28 8 37	21 30 6
2 51 49	1 32 52	28 7 47	21 27 4
2 51 51	1 31 16	28 6 59	21 24 2
2 51 55	1 29 39	28 6 12	21 21 0
2 52 3	1 28 3	28 5 27	21 17 8
2 52 14	1 26 26	28 4 43	21 14 7
2 52 28	1 24 48	28 4 1	21 11 5
2 52 45	1 23 11	28 3 21	21 8 3
2 53 6	1 21 33	28 2 41	21 5 1
2 53 29	1 19 55	28 2 4	21 2 0
2 53 56	1 18 17	28 1 28	20 58 8
2 54 27	1 16 39	28 0 53	20 55 6
2 55 0	1 15 0	28 0 21	20 52 4
2 55 37	1 13 22	27 59 50	20 49 3
2 56 17	1 11 44	27 59 21	20 46 1
2 57 0	1 10 5	27 58 53	20 42 9
2 57 46	1 8 27	27 58 27	20 39 7
2 58 35	1 6 49	27 58 2	20 36 5
2 59 28	1 5 11	27 57 39	20 33 4
3 0 23	1 3 33	27 57 18	20 30 2
3 1 22	1 1 56	27 56 59	20 27 0
3 2 24	1 0 19	27 56 41	20 23 8

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2 10 -- pm R.A. of ALDEBARAN, $8^{\circ} 7' N$.
 3 0 -- am ♄ in perihelion
 3 7 57 am ♃ on ecliptic, ♃ des. node
 5 -- -- ♃ on meridian, 4 am L.C.T.
 5 1 29 pm ♃, max. dec. N., $+20^{\circ} 28' 11''$
 8 1 0 am ♃, max. dec. N., $+20^{\circ} 7' 27''$
 10 6 -- am ♃, stationary in R.A.
 11 0 15 am ♃'s bright moons all on W. side
 11 -- -- ♃ on meridian, 7 pm L.C.T.
 11 8 -- pm ♃ in perigee
 11 9 57 pm ♃ on celestial equator
 12 9 2 am R.A. of ♃, ♃ $6^{\circ} 15' N$.
 14 8 -- am Superior R.A. of ♃
 15 4 -- am ♃, greatest elong. E., $19^{\circ} 45'$ from ☉
 16 2 35 am ♃ on ecliptic, ♃ asc. node
 16 -- -- ♃ on meridian, 10 pm L.C.T.
 17 9 41 pm Close R.A. of ♃, ♃ $0^{\circ} 18' S$.
 18 7 42 am ♃, max. dec. S., $-20^{\circ} 25' 33''$
 19 -- -- ♃ on meridian, 3 am L.C.T.
 19 7 -- am ♃, max. dec. N., $+22^{\circ} 44' 59''$
 22 3 50 pm ♃, max. dec. N., $+20^{\circ} 14' 41''$
 23 4 -- pm ♃ in apogee
 25 10 -- am ♃ stationary in R.A.
 25 6 17 pm ♃ on celestial equator
 27 -- -- ♃ on meridian, 6 pm L.C.T.
 29 -- -- Annular eclipse of Sun
 30 1 51 pm ♃ on ecliptic, ♃ des. node
 30 -- -- ♃ on meridian, 9 pm L.C.T.

AND DECLINATIONS

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Geocentric Declination and Latitude Continued

Apr.	Jupiter ♃	Saturn ♄	Saturn ♄	Uranus ♅	Uranus ♅	Neptune ♆	Neptune ♆	Pluto ♇	Pluto ♇
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2	1 33	20 42	1 49	20 7	0 37	10 24	1 48	22 43	11 23
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6	1 33	20 41	1 50	20 7	0 37	10 21	1 48	22 44	11 22
7	1 33	20 41	1 50	20 7	0 37	10 21	1 48	22 44	11 22
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SELF-GUIDANCE CHART FOR APRIL

How the Sun, Moon and Planets Influence You Daily

The time recorded here is Standard Time by zones. The use of each grouping of planets is given before the aspect, which is in force until the time listed in the chart. Thus, Moon parallel Neptune is in force until 12:06 a.m., E.S.T., on April 1; after this, Moon conjunction Mercury is in force until 5:22 a.m., and so on.

Material in boldface type times aspects between the planets, and these are in force for several days before the aspect culminates. Thus, Mercury quincunx Jupiter has effect for several days before it culminates on April 2 at 1:04 a.m., E.S.T., and forms a kind of frame of reference for the lunar aspects. After Mercury quincunx Jupiter passes, the next aspect formed by planets is Mercury parallel Neptune on April 2, which forms a major frame of reference for the intervening lunar aspects. When the next frame of reference is favorable, it tends to mitigate the retarding lunar forces; when it is not beneficial, it tends to minimize the lunar benefits.

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			E.S.T.	C.S.T.	M.S.T.	P.S.T.
Mon 1	☾ ♃	☾parallel Neptune Be on the lookout for possible cunning and deceitful practices.	12.06 A. M.	—	—	—
	☾ ♂ ♄	☾conjunction Mercury Messages en route to you may be of exaggerated tone.	5.22 A. M.	4.22 A. M.	3.22 A. M.	2.22 A. M.
	☾ ♂ ♃	☾quincunx Jupiter Beware of ego-inflating tendencies that invade your being.	8.35 A. M.	7.35 A. M.	6.35 A. M.	5.35 A. M.
	☾ △ ♇	☾trine Pluto Work out improvements that you have noticed you need.	2.48 P. M.	1.48 P. M.	12.48 P. M.	11.48 A. M.
	Moon enters Taurus ☾ ♉		6.11 P. M.	5.11 P. M.	4.11 P. M.	3.11 P. M.
	☾ ♂ ♃	☾opposition Neptune Outwit persons who try to take you in with tricky propositions.	9.31 P. M.	8.31 P. M.	7.31 P. M.	6.31 P. M.
	☾ ☐ ♅	☾square Uranus Be conscious of expenditures which may tend to mount too quickly.	11.42 P. M.	10.42 P. M.	9.42 P. M.	8.42 P. M.
	♄ ♂ ♃ Mercury q'cunx Jupiter 25° ♀-♂		—	—	11.04 P. M.	10.04 P. M.
	Concentrate closely on your facts regarding labor issues before making decisions.					
	♄ ♂ ♃ Mercury q'cunx Jupiter 25° ♀-♂		1.04 A. M.	12.04 A. M.	—	—
Tue 2	♄ ♃ Mercury para Neptune 10° N-S		3.33 A. M.	2.33 A. M.	1.33 A. M.	12.33 A. M.
	Keep your mind strictly geared to reality during this "frame of reference" period.					
	☾ ♀ ♀	☾semisextile Venus You should be able to find bargains if shopping this morning.	12.30 P. M.	11.30 A. M.	10.30 A. M.	9.30 A. M.
	☾ ♀ ♂	☾semisextile Mars Be equal to whatever may occur in a lively interval.	1.04 P. M.	12.04 P. M.	11.04 A. M.	10.04 A. M.
	☾ ♀ ☉	☾semisextile Sun Build-up resources while the cosmic picture is good.	6.44 P. M.	5.44 P. M.	4.44 P. M.	3.44 P. M.
	☾ ♂ ♄	☾quincunx Saturn Don't be too disheartened if things fail to turn out as expected.	9.07 P. M.	8.07 P. M.	7.07 P. M.	6.07 P. M.
	♀ * ♂ Venus sextile Mars 10° ♀-♂		11.38 P. M.	10.38 P. M.	9.38 P. M.	8.38 P. M.
Wed 3	A brisk, gay interval is sponsored by this planetary setup.					
	☾ △ ♃	☾trine Jupiter Make some long-range credit plans while such action is favored.	4.43 P. M.	3.43 P. M.	2.43 P. M.	1.43 P. M.
	♄ △ ♇ Mercury trine Pluto 28° ♀-♂		7.10 P. M.	6.10 P. M.	5.10 P. M.	4.10 P. M.
	Ferret out solutions to measures that may be of secretive nature.					
	☾ ☐ ♇	☾square Pluto Sinister plots seem due for a needed airing.	11.12 P. M.	10.12 P. M.	9.12 P. M.	8.12 P. M.

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			E.S.T.	C.S.T.	M.S.T.	P.S.T.
Sat 6	<i>Moon enters Cancer ☊ ☌</i>		8.37 A. M.	7.37 A. M.	6.37 A. M.	5.37 A. M.
	☿ ☊ ☌ <i>Mercury square Uranus 3° 8-8</i>		10.17 A. M.	9.17 A. M.	8.17 A. M.	7.17 A. M.
	<i>Stifle boisterous, exasperating words before you have a chance to utter them.</i>					
	☊ △ ☿	☊ trine Neptune Glamor and charm are this aspect's wares.	11.27 A. M.	10.27 A. M.	9.27 A. M.	8.27 A. M.
SUN 7	☊ √ ☌	☊ semisextile Uranus Outmoded customs may disappear of their own volition.	1.37 P. M.	12.37 P. M.	11.37 A. M.	10.37 A. M.
	☊ * ☿	☊ sextile Mercury Information received should be both pleasing and helpful.	2.05 P. M.	1.05 P. M.	12.05 P. M.	11.05 A. M.
	☊ √ ☌	☊ semisextile Mars Don't use up too much of your strength if out early this A. M.	7.12 A. M.	6.12 A. M.	5.12 A. M.	4.12 A. M.
	☊ ∟ ☌	☊ quincunx Saturn A fatiguing letdown could be the follow up of too early rising.	9.14 A. M.	8.14 A. M.	7.14 A. M.	6.14 A. M.
Mon 8	☊ □ ☌	☊ square Venus Do your best toward maintaining amiability in spite of odds.	12.12 P. M.	11.12 A. M.	10.12 A. M.	9.12 A. M.
	☊ □ ☉	☊ square Sun Make this really a period of rest and taking life easy.	3.32 P. M.	2.32 P. M.	1.32 P. M.	12.32 P. M.
	☊ * ☌	☊ sextile Jupiter "Charity begins at home." Do something kind for relatives.	—	—	—	11.36 P. M.
	☊ * ☌	☊ sextile Jupiter	2.36 A. M.	1.36 A. M.	12.36 A. M.	—
Tue 9	☊ √ ☌	☊ semisextile Pluto Multiply your attributes that are worthy of cultivation.	9.13 A. M.	8.13 A. M.	7.13 A. M.	6.13 A. M.
	☊ ☌	☊ parallel Mercury Scan submitted data to make sure it is all it should be.	12.11 P. M.	11.11 A. M.	10.11 A. M.	9.11 A. M.
	<i>Moon enters Leo ☌ ☉</i>					
	☊ □ ☌	☊ square Neptune Be sure you grasp your situation correctly, thus avoiding confusion.	3.01 P. M.	2.01 P. M.	1.01 P. M.	12.01 P. M.
Wed 10	☊ ☌ ☌	☊ conjunction Uranus Refuse to be upset by unanticipated occurrences that develop.	5.11 P. M.	4.11 P. M.	3.11 P. M.	2.11 P. M.
	☊ □ ☌	☊ square Mercury Leave worries and tensions behind you if going out tonight.	—	11.11 P. M.	10.11 P. M.	9.11 P. M.
	☌ ☌ ☌ <i>Mars oppo. Saturn 14° 8-8</i>		—	—	—	11.30 P. M.
	<i>Try to prevent selfish, resentful attitudes from gaining a hold on you.</i>					
Thu 11	☊ □ ☌	☊ square Mercury	12.11 A. M.	—	—	—
	☌ ☌ ☌ <i>Mars opposition Saturn 14° 8-8</i>		2.30 A. M.	1.30 A. M.	12.30 A. M.	—
	☊ △ ☌	☊ trine Saturn Well established modes of procedure can be quite a boon to you.	11.56 A. M.	10.56 A. M.	9.56 A. M.	8.56 A. M.
	☊ * ☌	☊ sextile Mars Be courageous about going after a heartfelt goal.	12.22 P. M.	11.22 A. M.	10.22 A. M.	9.22 A. M.
Wed 10	☊ ☌	☊ parallel Neptune Give diligent concentration to everything you attempt to do.	7.18 P. M.	6.18 P. M.	5.18 P. M.	4.18 P. M.
	☊ △ ☌	☊ trine Venus Circulate among those you wish to know better.	7.37 P. M.	6.37 P. M.	5.37 P. M.	4.37 P. M.
	☊ △ ☉	☊ trine Sun Gain a feather for your hat by playing up to the right persons.	9.43 P. M.	8.43 P. M.	7.43 P. M.	6.43 P. M.
	<i>Uranus turns direct @ 3° 8 ☌ D</i>					
Thu 11	<i>Uranus turns direct @ 3° 8 ☌ D</i>					
	☊ √ ☌	☊ semisextile Jupiter A beneficial period should bring advantage of some kind.	4.22 A. M.	3.22 A. M.	2.22 A. M.	1.22 A. M.
	☊ ☉	☊ parallel Sun Build toward greater stamina and vitality.	7.43 A. M.	6.43 A. M.	5.43 A. M.	4.43 A. M.
	☊ ☌ ☌	☊ conjunction Pluto Press rehabilitating ideas into constructive use wherever needed.	11.06 A. M.	10.06 A. M.	9.06 A. M.	8.06 A. M.
Thu 11	<i>Moon enters Virgo ☌ ☍</i>					
	☊ ☌	☊ parallel Venus Find pleasure in the assurance of a job well done.	2.13 P. M.	1.13 P. M.	12.13 P. M.	11.13 A. M.
	☊ * ☌	☊ sextile Neptune Imaginative touches could add an interesting element to occupations.	4.42 P. M.	3.42 P. M.	2.42 P. M.	1.42 P. M.
	☊ √ ☌	☊ semisextile Uranus Put a dash of modernity into work you turn out.	6.53 P. M.	5.53 P. M.	4.53 P. M.	3.53 P. M.
Thu 11	☊ ☌	☊ parallel Jupiter Protective rays help make sleeping hours beneficial.	3.54 A. M.	2.54 A. M.	1.54 A. M.	12.54 A. M.
	☊ △ ☌	☊ trine Mercury Welcome news can be on its way to you at this time.	6.55 A. M.	5.55 A. M.	4.55 A. M.	3.55 A. M.

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Thu 11	☐ ♀	☐square Saturn Let rebuffs bounce out of your consciousness this morning.	1.05 P. M.	12.05 P. M.	11.05 A. M.	10.05 A. M.
	☐ ♂	☐square Mars Practice the light touch on exciting conditions that develop.	3.49 P. M.	2.49 P. M.	1.49 P. M.	12.49 P. M.
	☐ ♀	☐quincunx Venus Get a clear perspective on details of proffered enjoyments.	—	—	11.15 P. M.	10.15 P. M.
	☐ ☉	☐quincunx Sun Take care of any physical indispositions you notice.	—	—	—	11.18 P. M.
	☐ ♀	☐quincunx Venus	1.15 A. M.	12.15 A. M.	—	—
Fri 12	☐ ☉	☐quincunx Sun	2.18 A. M.	1.18 A. M.	12.18 A. M.	—
	☐ ♂	☐conjunction Jupiter Past service rendered may now bear fruit for you.	5.02 A. M.	4.02 A. M.	3.02 A. M.	2.02 A. M.
	☐ ♀	☐semisextile Pluto Build upon present conditions that are worth perpetuating.	12.03 P. M.	11.03 A. M.	10.03 A. M.	9.03 A. M.
	Moon enters Libra ☐ ♀		3.08 P. M.	2.08 P. M.	1.08 P. M.	12.08 P. M.
	☐ ☐	☐parallel Jupiter You must watch that you are not taken in by someone's ostentatiousness.	4.13 P. M.	3.13 P. M.	2.13 P. M.	1.13 P. M.
Sat 13	☐ ♀	☐semisextile Neptune Develop artistic abilities which you believe you possess.	5.34 P. M.	4.34 P. M.	3.34 P. M.	2.34 P. M.
	☐ ♂	☐sextile Uranus Have a futuristic outlook regarding alliances you form.	7.50 P. M.	6.50 P. M.	5.50 P. M.	4.50 P. M.
	☐ ♀	☐parallel Venus Test acquaintances for trustworthiness before cultivating them.	12.18 P. M.	11.18 A. M.	10.18 A. M.	9.18 A. M.
	☐ ☐	☐quincunx Mercury Keep your mind centered on what you are doing so you do not forget.	12.25 P. M.	11.25 A. M.	10.25 A. M.	9.25 A. M.
	☐ ♂	☐sextile Saturn Give careful, provident attention to interests shared with others.	2.04 P. M.	1.04 P. M.	12.04 P. M.	11.04 A. M.
SUN 14	☐ ☐	☐quincunx Jupiter 23° ♀-♂ Guard against overdoing in any way that could be detrimental to your health.	3.54 P. M.	2.54 P. M.	1.54 P. M.	12.54 P. M.
	☐ ☉	☐parallel Sun Steer a safe course around forces pitted against you.	6.42 P. M.	5.42 P. M.	4.42 P. M.	3.42 P. M.
	☐ ♀	☐Venus q'cunx Jupiter 23° ♀-♂ Be genial with fellow workers even though they do not seem thus inclined.	7.09 P. M.	6.09 P. M.	5.09 P. M.	4.09 P. M.
	☐ ♂	☐trine Mars Interest yourself in a course of study that holds edifying promise.	7.09 P. M.	6.09 P. M.	5.09 P. M.	4.09 P. M.
	☐ ♀	☐parallel Neptune Stick to actuality rather than rosette imagining.	—	11.20 P. M.	10.20 P. M.	9.20 P. M.
Mon 15	☐ ♀	☐parallel Neptune	12.20 A. M.	—	—	—
	☐ ☐	☐semisextile Jupiter The night force can be on the receiving end of generosity.	6.04 A. M.	5.04 A. M.	4.04 A. M.	3.04 A. M.
	☐ ☉	☐FULL MOON 24° ♀-♂ Be ready to deal with somewhat trying conditions that may develop with partners.	7.09 A. M.	6.09 A. M.	5.09 A. M.	4.09 A. M.
	☐ ♀	☐opposition Venus Disappointments can floor you only if you dwell too long upon them.	7.11 A. M.	6.11 A. M.	5.11 A. M.	4.11 A. M.
	☐ ♀	☐Sun conjunction Venus 24° ♀ Make adjustments wherever such action is apt to bring about better relations.	8.40 A. M.	7.40 A. M.	6.40 A. M.	5.40 A. M.
Mon 15	☐ ♂	☐Mercury q'cunx Saturn 14° ♂-♂ Reject unduly pessimistic or fearful monetary considerations that may plague you.	10.05 A. M.	9.05 A. M.	8.05 A. M.	7.05 A. M.
	☐ ♀	☐sextile Pluto Set into clear focus the meaning which others hold for you.	1.34 P. M.	12.34 P. M.	11.34 A. M.	10.34 A. M.
	Moon enters Scorpio ☐ ♂		4.45 P. M.	3.45 P. M.	2.45 P. M.	1.45 P. M.
	☐ ♂	☐conjunction Neptune Be immune to hazy, unreal representations of actual conditions.	7.11 P. M.	6.11 P. M.	5.11 P. M.	4.11 P. M.
	☐ ♂	☐square Uranus Do not lose your poise and aplomb even though things are hectic.	9.38 P. M.	8.38 P. M.	7.38 P. M.	6.38 P. M.
Mon 15	☐ ♀	☐semisextile Saturn Keep order and tact as suitable key words for progress.	4.29 P. M.	3.29 P. M.	2.29 P. M.	1.29 P. M.
	☐ ♂	☐opposition Mercury Make a study of projects you have in tow, thus eliminating doubt.	6.51 P. M.	5.51 P. M.	4.51 P. M.	3.51 P. M.
	☐ ♂	☐quincunx Mars Try to be patient in the midst of activity around you.	—	11.19 P. M.	10.19 P. M.	9.19 P. M.

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Tue 16	☿♂	☿quincunx Mars	12.19 A. M.	—	—	—
	♂♂	♂sextile Jupiter Think of ways to be helpful in charitable endeavors.	9.05 A. M.	8.05 A. M.	7.05 A. M.	6.05 A. M.
	☿☉	☿quincunx Sun Work out a less strenuous regime if your usual drive is impaired.	2.38 P. M.	1.38 P. M.	12.38 P. M.	11.38 A. M.
	☿♀	☿quincunx Venus Pay special attention to grooming and conduct.	3.46 P. M.	2.46 P. M.	1.46 P. M.	12.46 P. M.
	☉ ☿ Sun parallel Neptune 10° N-S	3.55 P. M.	2.55 P. M.	1.55 P. M.	12.55 P. M.	Get your feet firmly placed on solid ground and keep them safely there.
	☐♄	☐square Pluto Dodge maliciousness in any form it might happen to take.	6.12 P. M.	5.12 P. M.	4.12 P. M.	3.12 P. M.
	Moon enters Sagittarius ☐♐	8.43 P. M.	7.43 P. M.	6.43 P. M.	5.43 P. M.	
	☐☿☿	☐semisextile Neptune Life's highest values should be apparent to you.	11.09 P. M.	10.09 P. M.	9.09 P. M.	8.09 P. M.
	☐ ☿	☐parallel Mercury Hold a calm, clear state of mind so you can reach required plans.	—	11.10 P. M.	10.10 P. M.	9.10 P. M.
	☐♅♄	☐trine Uranus Individualistic leanings could hold importance this evening.	—	—	11.54 P. M.	10.54 P. M.
Wed 17	☐ ☿	☐parallel Mercury	12.10 A. M.	—	—	—
	☐♅♄	☐trine Uranus	1.54 A. M.	12.54 A. M.	—	—
	♀♄♄ Venus trine Pluto 28° ♑-♄	8.29 A. M.	7.29 A. M.	6.29 A. M.	5.29 A. M.	Emphasize the gracious, levelheaded element which is part of your character.
	☐ ♅	☐parallel Uranus Be oblivious to unconventionality that may surround you.	1.43 P. M.	12.43 P. M.	11.43 A. M.	10.43 A. M.
	☐♄♄	☐conjunction Saturn Take reversals in stride and build more safely next time.	9.46 P. M.	8.46 P. M.	7.46 P. M.	6.46 P. M.
	☐♄♄ Sun trine Pluto 28° ♑-♄	3.21 A. M.	2.21 A. M.	1.21 A. M.	12.21 A. M.	Reformative trends have solar impetus in their favor at the present time.
Thu 18	☐ ☿	☐quincunx Mercury Defer giving your final word on issues until better conditions arise.	3.59 A. M.	2.59 A. M.	1.59 A. M.	12.59 A. M.
	♀ ☿ Venus parallel Neptune 10° N-S	7.08 A. M.	6.08 A. M.	5.08 A. M.	4.08 A. M.	Leaven sentiment with a generous portion of good common sense.
	☐♄♄	☐opposition Mars Don't allow yourself to be unduly provoked by turbulence.	9.11 A. M.	8.11 A. M.	7.11 A. M.	6.11 A. M.
	☐♄♄	☐square Jupiter Turn a deaf ear to anyone who makes excessive demands.	3.19 P. M.	2.19 P. M.	1.19 P. M.	12.19 P. M.
	Venus enters Taurus ♀♉	10.29 P. M.	9.29 P. M.	8.29 P. M.	7.29 P. M.	
	☐♄♄	☐trine Pluto Do some "fence mending" regarding distant conditions.	—	11.22 P. M.	10.22 P. M.	9.22 P. M.
	☐♄☉	☐trine Sun The luminaries are backing persons of professional status.	—	—	—	11.11 P. M.
	☐ ♅	☐parallel Uranus Select associates on a strictly suitability-conscious basis.	—	—	—	11.12 P. M.
	☐♄♄	☐trine Pluto	12.22 A. M.	—	—	—
	☐♄☉	☐trine Sun	2.11 A. M.	1.11 A. M.	12.11 A. M.	—
Fri 19	☐ ♅	☐parallel Uranus	2.12 A. M.	1.12 A. M.	12.12 A. M.	—
	Moon enters Capricorn ☐♑	4.08 A. M.	3.08 A. M.	2.08 A. M.	1.08 A. M.	
	☐♄♀	☐trine Venus Avenues of enjoyment may be in process of formation.	4.48 A. M.	3.48 A. M.	2.48 A. M.	1.48 A. M.
	☐ ☿	☐parallel Mercury Take a matter-of-fact view on anything that demands quick answer.	6.21 A. M.	5.21 A. M.	4.21 A. M.	3.21 A. M.
	☐♂☿	☐sextile Neptune Dream experiences could have an ultimate worth to you.	6.40 A. M.	5.40 A. M.	4.40 A. M.	3.40 A. M.
	☐ ♅	☐quincunx Uranus You can't win over Uranus, so don't try to anticipate its trend.	9.45 A. M.	8.45 A. M.	7.45 A. M.	6.45 A. M.
	♀♄☿ Venus oppos. Neptune 1° ♊-♑	11.18 P. M.	10.18 P. M.	9.18 P. M.	8.18 P. M.	Be very sure of your ground before making financial commitments.
	Sun enters Taurus ☐♉	3.42 A. M.	2.42 A. M.	1.42 A. M.	12.42 A. M.	
	☐ ♄	☐semisextile Saturn Fill positions of trust and responsibility with skill.	6.40 A. M.	5.40 A. M.	4.40 A. M.	3.40 A. M.
	☐ ♅ Mercury parallel Uranus 20° N	8.15 A. M.	7.15 A. M.	6.15 A. M.	5.15 A. M.	Give some thought to new techniques if your interest lies in literary fields.
Sat 20						

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Sat 20	☿△♊	☿trine Mercury You may wish to devote a part of this period to status-raising aims.	4.08 P. M.	3.08 P. M.	2.08 P. M.	1.08 P. M.
	♂♂♊	☿quincunx Mars Maintain an even temperamept even though uncongeniality reigns.	10.01 P. M.	9.01 P. M.	8.01 P. M.	7.01 P. M.
	♂△♊	☿trine Jupiter Make the most of protective factors that surround you.	—	11.56 P. M.	10.56 P. M.	9.56 P. M.
	♂△♊	☿trine Jupiter	12.56 A. M.	—	—	—
	♀☿♊ Venus square Uranus 3° 8-Ω	Follow closely the loftiest ideals you have set for yourself.	7.10 A. M.	6.10 A. M.	5.10 A. M.	4.10 A. M.
	♂♂♊ Sun oppos. Neptune 1° 8-♏	Restrict all dealings to levels of complete trust and understanding.	10.10 A. M.	9.10 A. M.	8.10 A. M.	7.10 A. M.
	♂♂♊ P	☿quincunx Pluto Observe the Easter holiday fittingly in spite of untoward aspects.	10.56 A. M.	9.56 A. M.	8.56 A. M.	7.56 A. M.
	Moon enters Aquarius ☿♏		2.53 P. M.	1.53 P. M.	12.53 P. M.	11.53 A. M.
	♂☿♊	☿square Neptune Refuse to take part in illusory, fantastic measures.	5.23 P. M.	4.23 P. M.	3.23 P. M.	2.23 P. M.
	♂☿♊	☿square Sun Present impasses are not everlasting or irremedial.	6.00 P. M.	5.00 P. M.	4.00 P. M.	3.00 P. M.
SUN 21	♂♂♊	☿opposition Uranus Omit unconventional tangents from your behavior.	8.46 P. M.	7.46 P. M.	6.46 P. M.	5.46 P. M.
	♂☿♊	☿square Venus Seek happiness in simple things rather than those of great proportion.	10.19 P. M.	9.19 P. M.	8.19 P. M.	7.19 P. M.
	♂♂♊	☿parallel Sun Find an expedient detour around opposing factors you encounter.	2.12 P. M.	1.12 P. M.	12.12 P. M.	11.12 A. M.
	♂♂♊	☿parallel Venus Develop your inner self if life looks a bit empty otherwise.	2.54 P. M.	1.54 P. M.	12.54 P. M.	11.54 A. M.
	♂♂♊	♂sextile Saturn Systematic, methodical foundations will help hold you to safe paths.	6.14 P. M.	5.14 P. M.	4.14 P. M.	3.14 P. M.
	♂☿♊ Mars square Jupiter 23° 8-♏	Use exceptionally good judgment as your yardstick if dispensing largesse.	—	11.38 P. M.	10.38 P. M.	9.38 P. M.
	♂☿♊ Mars square Jupiter 23° 8-♏		12.38 A. M.	—	—	—
	♂☿♊ Sun square Uranus 3° 8-Ω	Hold back on impetuousness toward which you may lean around this date.	4.03 A. M.	3.03 A. M.	2.03 A. M.	1.03 A. M.
	♂♂♊	☿parallel Neptune Pin your mind to credible, definite acceptances only.	4.40 A. M.	3.40 A. M.	2.40 A. M.	1.40 A. M.
	♂☿♊	☿square Mercury Communications can become snarled and ineffective.	5.43 A. M.	4.43 A. M.	3.43 A. M.	2.43 A. M.
Mon 22	♂♂♊	☿quincunx Jupiter Restrict endeavors to those you know to be expedient.	12.49 P. M.	11.49 A. M.	10.49 A. M.	9.49 A. M.
	♂△♊	☿trine Mars A few brisk strokes of activity could help toward attaining gains.	1.35 P. M.	12.35 P. M.	11.35 A. M.	10.35 A. M.
	♂♂♊ Sun parallel Venus 12° N	Establish an even, tranquilizing tenor in your life as a buffer for dissident times.	3.07 P. M.	2.07 P. M.	1.07 P. M.	12.07 P. M.
	♂♂♊ P	☿opposition Pluto If cooperation seems lacking, compensate within yourself for it.	11.18 P. M.	10.18 P. M.	9.18 P. M.	8.18 P. M.
	Moon enters Pisces ☿♏		3.23 A. M.	2.23 A. M.	1.23 A. M.	12.23 A. M.
	♂△♊	☿trine Neptune File in an accessible place any inspirational tendencies you have.	5.43 A. M.	4.43 A. M.	3.43 A. M.	2.43 A. M.
	♂♂♊	☿quincunx Uranus Reject temperamental trends before they get a hold on you.	9.20 A. M.	8.20 A. M.	7.20 A. M.	6.20 A. M.
	♂♂♊	♂sextile Sun An understanding person could befriend you in some way.	11.54 A. M.	10.54 A. M.	9.54 A. M.	8.54 A. M.
	♂♂♊	☿parallel Jupiter Dismiss preposterous claims that are not founded on fact.	5.30 P. M.	4.30 P. M.	3.30 P. M.	2.30 P. M.
	♂♂♊	♂sextile Venus Share your joys with those you love and who are fond of you.	5.50 P. M.	4.50 P. M.	3.50 P. M.	2.50 P. M.
Tue 23	Mercury turns retrograde @ 19° 8 ♊ R		—	11.15 P. M.	10.15 P. M.	9.15 P. M.
	♂♂♊ Mercury parallel Uranus 20° N	Uranian influences may help counteract deterrents which retrograde Mercury brings.	—	—	—	11.58 P. M.
	Mercury turns retrograde @ 19° 8 ♊ R		12.15 A. M.	—	—	—
	♂♂♊ Mercury parallel Uranus 20° N		2.58 A. M.	1.58 A. M.	12.58 A. M.	—
	♂☿♊	☿square Saturn Avoid a worrisome trend even though plans are not materializing well.	6.28 A. M.	5.28 A. M.	4.28 A. M.	3.28 A. M.
Wed 24						
Thu 25						

Apr. '57 Day Date	Symbols & Aspects Moon's Sign	Guidance	Standard Time by Zones			
			E.S.T.	C.S.T.	M.S.T.	P.S.T.
Thu 25	☾ * ♀	☾ sextile Mercury News dispatches can bring you helpful tidings.	6.21 P. M.	5.21 P. M.	4.21 P. M.	3.21 P. M.
	☾ ♀ ♃	☾ opposition Jupiter Take diffuseness with several grains of salt this evening.	—	11.45 P. M.	10.45 P. M.	9.45 P. M.
	☾ ♀ ♃	☾ opposition Jupiter	12.45 A. M.	—	—	—
	☾ ☐ ♂	☾ square Mars Tone down on too aggressive moves if up until late hours.	5.08 A. M.	4.08 A. M.	3.08 A. M.	2.08 A. M.
	☾ ♀ ♇	☾ quincunx Pluto Steer clear of connivances set to ensnare you.	11.18 A. M.	10.18 A. M.	9.18 A. M.	8.18 A. M.
Fri 26	Moon enters Aries ☾ ♈		3.21 P. M.	2.21 P. M.	1.21 P. M.	12.21 P. M.
	☾ ♀ ♄	☾ quincunx Neptune Get wise to fraudulent practices that may abound.	5.29 P. M.	4.29 P. M.	3.29 P. M.	2.29 P. M.
	☾ ♃	☾ parallel Jupiter Bear good will as a badge of your own attainment.	7.09 P. M.	6.09 P. M.	5.09 P. M.	4.09 P. M.
	☾ △ ♅	☾ trine Uranus Aim for a new and expedient point of view on some matter.	9.13 P. M.	8.13 P. M.	7.13 P. M.	6.13 P. M.
	☾ ♀ ☉	☾ semisextile Sun You may be in line for meeting distinguished persons if up late.	4.48 A. M.	3.48 A. M.	2.48 A. M.	1.48 A. M.
Sat 27	☾ ♀ ♀	☾ semisextile Venus Deepen bonds of friendship with those you admire.	12.01 P. M.	11.01 A. M.	10.01 A. M.	9.01 A. M.
	☾ △ ♄	☾ trine Saturn Take a step ahead in your aspirations with persistent effort.	5.23 P. M.	4.23 P. M.	3.23 P. M.	2.23 P. M.
	☾ ♀ ☿	☾ semisextile Mercury Call honest wit into play for solving late issues.	4.18 A. M.	3.18 A. M.	2.18 A. M.	1.18 A. M.
	☾ ♄	☾ parallel Neptune Imposture and misrepresentation are current threats.	5.42 A. M.	4.42 A. M.	3.42 A. M.	2.42 A. M.
	☾ ♀ ♃	☾ quincunx Jupiter Don't be guilty of pretension or pompousness.	10.55 A. M.	9.55 A. M.	8.55 A. M.	7.55 A. M.
SUN 28	☾ * ♂	☾ sextile Mars Let enthusiasm be your keynote in this portion of today.	6.31 P. M.	5.31 P. M.	4.31 P. M.	3.31 P. M.
	☾ △ ♇	☾ trine Pluto Make personality adjustments that will be to your benefit.	9.23 P. M.	8.23 P. M.	7.23 P. M.	6.23 P. M.
	Moon enters Taurus ☾ ♉		—	—	11.17 P. M.	10.17 P. M.
	Moon enters Taurus ☾ ♉		1.17 A. M.	12.17 A. M.	—	—
	☾ ♀ ♄	☾ opposition Neptune Attempts at treachery or sham must be guarded against.	3.12 A. M.	2.12 A. M.	1.12 A. M.	12.12 A. M.
Mon 29	☾ ☐ ♅	☾ square Uranus Keep an eye on possessions that could disappear.	6.57 A. M.	5.57 A. M.	4.57 A. M.	3.57 A. M.
	☾ ☉	☾ parallel Sun Pay attention to conditions which could yield a bonus later.	11.16 A. M.	10.16 A. M.	9.16 A. M.	8.16 A. M.
	♀ ♀ ♄ Venus quincunx Saturn 13° 8' - ♄		3.46 P. M.	2.46 P. M.	1.46 P. M.	12.46 P. M.
	☾ ♀	☾ parallel Venus Mediate differences that exist on any score.	4.56 P. M.	3.56 P. M.	2.56 P. M.	1.56 P. M.
	☾ ☉ ☾ NEW MOON 9° 8'		6.54 P. M.	5.54 P. M.	4.54 P. M.	3.54 P. M.
Tue 30	You may find it expedient to institute new budgetary measures around this time.					
	☾ ♀ ♄	☾ quincunx Saturn Thrift may have to be a portion of this evening's plans.	—	—	—	11.01 P. M.
	☾ ♀ ♄	☾ quincunx Saturn	2.01 A. M.	1.01 A. M.	12.01 A. M.	—
	☾ ☉ ♀	☾ conjunction Venus Take a conciliatory role if you belong to a group of night workers.	3.08 A. M.	2.08 A. M.	1.08 A. M.	12.08 A. M.
	☾ ☉ ☿	☾ conjunction Mercury A restless urge to augment present income may make itself felt.	11.08 A. M.	10.08 A. M.	9.08 A. M.	8.08 A. M.
	☾ △ ♃	☾ trine Jupiter Study the balance sheet for ways to increase totals.	6.47 P. M.	5.47 P. M.	4.47 P. M.	3.47 P. M.

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A home, instead of a small apartment, is so intensely desired by a 14-year-old who has the natal Moon in Cancer that she tries to marry her widowed mother to every eligible man who owns one.

WHAT DO YOU FEAR?

(Continued from page 119)

urn. It can cause the spleen to close up. Thus, the vital force received by the spleen from the Sun ceases to flow through the body as freely as is necessary. When this obstruction takes place, foreign organisms that are detrimental to good health are permitted to enter the body and function freely therein.

If fear or worry is carried on over a long period, it becomes a fixation and causes a state of mental crystallization which reflects in the physical body. A restriction in the free flow of gastric juices may result, causing gastric disturbances. It can also slow the heart action.

This does not apply to a condition of fear brought about by a sudden instance of danger. Such an experience is usually termed a fright, and the shock of such an emergency causes the adrenal glands to release a superabundance of secretion. This acts as a body stimulant, after which the body balance may return to normal. What we are stressing in this article is the *steady indulgence* of the negative emotion of fear or worry, for it can, in time, act as a corroding element to the physical structure.

The instinctual reaction to the radiation of Saturn is self-preservation in every manner and form. It is that which stands behind the acts of mankind whether they concern the personal self, family or nation. It is one of the greatest gifts we receive from Saturn. However, it is quite understandable that where its radiation to an individual is through an unfavorable aspect, one can develop a feeling of uncertainty to this self-preservation that results in the manifestation of fear or worry.

AS WE KNOW, REACTIONS TO SATURN, FAVORABLE or unfavorable, seem to adhere to the expression of the personality much longer than that of any other planet. Reactions to Uranus or Mars will burn out much quicker. They are much more intense, but more superficial in action. But the reaction to Saturn is slow and deliberate, and it burrows deep within the nature of the human being. Therefore, fear or worry in its slow, insidious action

can get a grip on one that is very difficult to throw off.

The instinctive reaction to Saturn gives a feeling of conscious awareness that leads to self-preservation, but it is our difficult task to keep it as such instead of allowing it to develop into a fear. When we do maintain our reaction to the difficulties we encounter as a state of conscious awareness, we are reacting to Saturn's influence in a positive manner. When we indulge in thoughts of fear or worry, our response is negative.

Naturally, the radiation of Saturn and the reaction of fear would be strongest where Saturn is strongly placed or aspected in the natal chart. This, of course, refers to unfavorable aspects to Saturn. The strongest in this respect is the square aspect, for it seems to radiate the most power within two planets, or luminaries, at right angles—a tremendous force.

When the Moon and Saturn are square in a natal chart, there is a very strong tendency to a condition of melancholy and depression that causes a person who reacts to this negatively to be a very worrisome and fretful individual. It is a most difficult aspect to handle, and such a person needs to be constantly on guard against the tendency to become a chronic worrier. The emotional radiation from the Moon is powerful at this angle, and care must be taken to guide this emotion into constructive channels or the person will cause himself difficulties through mental obstruction, procrastination.

THE NEGATIVE REACTION TO MERCURY square Saturn produces the nervous type of worrier. He can work himself into a case of jitters that may react as a physical illness. When there is a negative reaction, he will be inclined to magnify the cause of worry until he becomes so fearful that he may resort to any means, no matter how unscrupulous, to remove the source of worry. This deplorable state is qualified to some degree if there are other aspects to these two planets that are highly favorable, especially Mercury. Then this force is easier to control.

The square of the Sun and Saturn is

perhaps the most unfortunate of all aspects from the viewpoint of a successful working out of heavy debts of destiny. There is a lack of ambition that needs to be overcome. While the person may worry about his unfavorable condition, he is not at all ready to assume responsibility for it. He will become a pessimist if he is not careful and tend to make his condition worse. His particular worry is that invariably he is not able to find his proper medium of self-expression; he feels he is being held in check most of the time.

The opposition aspect of the Sun, Moon or Mercury to Saturn does not apply as forcefully as the square in an unfavorable manner, for here the forces have a tendency to balance instead of opposing if the person will keep a conscious awareness not to respond negatively.

Saturn, in Taurus, unfavorably aspected, gives a tendency to excessive worry over financial matters. This applies also to some extent when Saturn is in the second house. The radiation of this sign, and the expression of Saturn through this house, gives the person a very strong feeling for financial security. The lack of it to any extent causes him to worry. If Saturn here is unfavorably aspected to Mercury, he can carry this to extremes, as described in the delineation of Mercury square Saturn.

WHEN SATURN IS POSITED IN VIRGO AND unfavorably aspected, the person will have a tendency to be overly cautious about health. He constantly worries about some illness, whether imaginary or real, and can easily become a hypochondriac. If Saturn is also posited in the sixth house as well as the sign Virgo, the native will encounter difficulty in recuperating from an illness because he has a tendency to carry his worrisome concern over health to the point where he cannot muster the mental strength to aid his recovery.

The negative response to Saturn posited in Capricorn when unfavorably aspected tends to make the person gloomy. If he indulges in worry, he can easily become pessimistic about whatever concerns him, causing a mental depression that will be difficult to overcome because Saturn is very strong in this sign. He can become overly cautious in some endeavor

until the negative reaction becomes so strong he fears to put the idea into action.

When Saturn is posited in Pisces and unfavorably aspected, there is extra need to guard against worrying. This is the chronic worrier. The negative reaction to this sign's influence causes a lack of confidence, and if Saturn is unfavorably aspected by Mercury, a negative mental attitude might ensue that could lead to a chronic illness or disease. Such a person must at all times refrain from worry or fear; a constant negative reaction could cause melancholia.

When Saturn is posited in the fourth house and unfavorably aspected, if the person responds to the inclination to worry, he can develop this to the point of being overly concerned about the slightest inharmony or insecurity in the home until he develops a complex regarding his home environment, making other members of the family as well as himself unhappy.

Those students who watch the progressions in their natal charts can apply the foregoing delineations as progressed Sun, Moon and Mercury make these aspects to natal Saturn.

WHILE TRANSITS ARE NOT CONSIDERED AS powerful in individual radiation as natal and progressed aspects, they do have an importance when they aspect a natal position. When a transit aspects a progressed figure, it strengthens its radiation. Consult the daily note of days when transiting Saturn squares the natal Mercury or Moon in your own chart or makes a square to your ascendant. The first two will be a mental reaction; the latter, a physical one. On such a day, do your utmost to ward off any inclination to fret, worry or indulge in a feeling of depression or physical lassitude because of some minor incident in your affairs that has not progressed to your satisfaction or desire.

It is on such an occasion that you will be inclined to take a negative viewpoint to the matter involved, magnifying its importance beyond its due measure. Whether or not you permit this negative reaction to govern you depends upon asserting your will. It can be controlled easier than the natal or progressed aspect.

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